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# VOTED TO STRIKE FINE EXHIBITION

## Union Men Attacked Non-Union Men in Cleveland

CLEVELAND, May 16.—Cleveland's street car system was tied up at 1 a. m. today by an almost unanimous vote of the local union of the Amalgamated union of street and electric railroad employees. The vote was taken at a meeting held last night beginning at 8 o'clock and lasting until 2 o'clock this morning. At the conclusion of the session, international Vice President Baker of the street car men's union said:

"The vote stands as an evidence of the feeling of our organization. Officially I could not call for a strike. I put it up to the men in meeting assembled and they agreed that the time to cease quibbling had arrived, therefore the strike is on. The cars will cease to run just as soon as we shall be able to get word to the various barns. The men feel that they have been discriminated against and take this means of emphasizing the fact."

Enthusiasm marked the sessions of the night. Approximately 1000 men voted, according to official statements. Only at rare intervals was a negative registered.

Variouly estimated, between 300,000 and 400,000 patrons of the urban lines began this morning to seek a means of transportation. City officials, it was stated, had not made preparations to combat the situation. Union men, however, asserted that for two weeks President Duggan of the municipal railroad had begun negotiations for additional help. They claimed this assistance would be sufficient. Nominally the strike of the street car men declared today involves two thousand men.

The strike had its origin in the institution of the three cent fare, the subject of political contention in Cleveland during several years past.

## MUSICAL BALLET

By Miss Perrin's Pupils at Opera House

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It was an entertainment of rare excellence that was presented at the Opera House last night by Miss L. Blanche Perrin under the title of a "Musical Ballet." It was given in aid of a local charity mainly by the pupils of Miss Perrin.

There were 25 numbers on the program and certainly it was astonishing what a variety of dances, evolutions and mazes were presented by the pupils in various costumes.

The Egyptian dance in which the dancers were gowned in green and carried long wreaths of lotus buds was very attractive. The dance of the enchanted poppies was another very striking feature. These were but typical of others on the program. The swing song in which the young

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REV. DENNIS A. SULLIVAN.

## Given by the O. M. I. Cadets in Associate Hall

When it comes to doing the soldier's "stunt" you can bank on the O. M. I. Cadets every time.

The second battalion of the Cadets gave an exhibition and promenade in Associate hall last night and the floor and galleries were crowded with the admirers of the young soldiers. The hall was decorated with red, white and blue streamers and the stage was banked with palms. Because the floor space would not allow the entire force of Cadets to drill at one time, it was necessary to cut the companies to 25 men each, so that about 140 youngsters marched on to the floor to the applause of the delighted audience. Major Russell Harrington was in command and under his guidance and orders the boys drilled in a manner that surprised even the old military men, many of whom were present. The battalion work was grand and at its conclusion, Capt. Paul Clark led Company B, the crack aggregation of the regiment, through the different military movements. Some of the other companies may dispute Company B's claim, but if there is any better company in the regiment it certainly must be a wonder and able to cope with any of the local military companies. The boys of Company B were especially clever in the manual of arms. The great feat of the evening

and spoke words of praise for all the cadets.

It was the second medal that Corporal Egan won in competition.

Those who took part in the drill were: Leo Morris, George Stowell, James McGarrin and John Egan, Company B; Joseph Taff, John Brennan and Charles Sheehan, of Company A; Fred McAlone, William McQuade and Wm. O'Loughlin, of Company D; and John Moynihan and James McCarron, of Company C.

Following the drill there was dancing. Kitzberg's orchestra furnishing the music. The officers were: General manager, Bernard J. McAdair; assistant general manager, William Harrington; floor director, William J. Fahney; assistant floor director, Joseph P. McManis; chief of all, William Kennedy; aids, James McNulty, James Kelly, John Tansey, Anthony Doyle, Frank McCardin, James Tully, Wm. O'Meara, Chas. Burns, John McAdair, Andrew Doyle, Mr. O'Keefe, Wm. Maroon, John Cole, Paul Mosker.

Reception committee, James Burns, chairman; Major R. Harrington, Capt. P. Clark, Capt. Geo. O'Connor, Capt. James McManis, Capt. Thomas Clark, Lieut. Frank Haggerty, Lieut. Joseph Callahan, Lieut. Edward Carney, Wm. P. Kelly, George O'Meara, Lieut. Jas. Mulhoney, Lieut. Chas. Farrell, Lieut. Jas. Conroy, Lieut. Jas. McGarry, Lieut. John Richards, Lieut. Edw. Curtin, Frank McKenna, Jas. Clarke, Jas. Powers, John Clarke, Wm. King.

Rev. Fr. Sullivan, O. M. I. who organized the Cadets and is the leading spirit in the organization is to be congratulated on the work he has done among the boys of the parish. It is no easy task to get the boys together and keep them together as Fr. Sullivan has done. Besides the military organization he has formed baseball, basketball and football teams and he has also interested the boys in all kinds of athletic sports. Nor is this all, for he has organized a sanctuary choir that takes part in the services at the Immaculate Conception church and has also concerned himself about the education of the youth. The result is that the boys are loyal to him to a "man" and whatever Fr. Sullivan says is accepted by them as law.



MAJOR RUSSELL HARRINGTON.

For this summer Fr. Sullivan has arranged for an outing for the Cadets. The entire complement of soldiers will go to Teakbury where the Oblate Fathers have a considerable tract of land and where they will encamp for two days, ending under tents. The boys will have black and blue uniforms and will be equipped with muskets and a sharp knife will be fought. The ambulance corps will be on hand to remove the "wounded" and care for the "wounded" and the nurses will decide the winner of the "wounded" contest. It will be great fun and the boys will realize it, so they are already anxious to get things in shape for the outing. On this occasion there will be a picnic and when the friends of the boys will be privileged to visit the camp. On the side, there will be horse races and foot races to entertain the boys and every lad in Falmouth will be a guest.

The roster of the battalion is as follows:

Major, Russell Harrington; adjutant, John Taff; sergeant major, Leo Morris; quartermaster, Joseph Brennan; company A, captain, John Brennan; 1st lieutenant, Joseph Brennan; 2nd lieutenant, John Brennan; company B, captain, James McGarrin; 1st lieutenant, John Egan; 2nd lieutenant, John Egan; company C, captain, James McCarron; 1st lieutenant, John Moynihan; 2nd lieutenant, John Moynihan; company D, captain, Wm. O'Loughlin; 1st lieutenant, Fred McAlone; 2nd lieutenant, William McQuade.

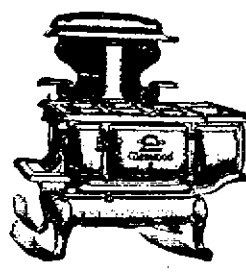
The boys were so happy and so proud that the competition in the drill was very keen and the boys were all very well after the drill.

The judges after long deliberation decided that Sergeant William Harrington had won the gold medal and the silver medal was awarded to Sergeant John Egan of Company B.

The medals were presented by Rev. Dennis Sullivan, O. M. I. who congratulated the boys on their success.

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### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

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Next week an exceedingly strong bill will be offered. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday the following vaudeville acts will be seen: The Levy Family, in a musical act that is superior to anything in its line. Barney Gallagher, comedian and eccentric dancer, and Kenyon and Healy, comedians. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Wilton and Warner, novelty comedians. The Sisters, artists of exceptional ability, and Bob Kelley, the unbeatable American whose only rival is Ernest Hogan. The price of all seats will be five and ten cents.

### ROBERT EDESON.

The attraction at the Opera House, May 19, will be Robert Edeson, who will be presented by Henry B. Harris in his latest success, "Classmates," the play of West Point life by William C. de Mille and Margaret Turnbull, which has just concluded a four months' engagement at the Hudson theatre in New York. "Classmates" as its name indicates, is the story of a number of young men who are classmates at the national military school at West Point. Mr. Edeson plays Duncan Irving, a senior cadet from South Carolina.

The production has been staged in a sumptuous manner and great care and attention has been paid to all detail. Mr. Edeson's company includes many of the players who were associated with him in "Strongheart," his previous success. His leading lady is Paulina Anthony. Others in the cast are Marjorie Wood, Maud Granger, Wallace Liddinger, Sidney Alway, Frank McIntyre and George W. Barnum.

The seat sale for the engagement of "Classmates" opens?

### HATHAWAY'S THEATRE

"For Fair Virginia," the bill to be presented at Hathaway's theatre, next week, has the reputation of having practically coined money for every manager who has ever produced it. In that sense, if in no other, it differs widely from about all of the plays ever put on by stock companies. Contrary to expectations the piece is not

punctured with the shots of opposing armies, but it relies, rather, upon the tensely of its dramatic situations and the entirely wholesome and agreeable plot.

To be sure there are martial figures enough in it, and uniforms of the blue and the gray, and plenty of talk of war, but very little of actual combat appears in it. It requires no battle scenes like "Shepherdess" and no spy situations like "Secret Service." It is all a most probable story, admirably told and it will be mounted with much attention to the accuracy of the detail. Mr. Saunders, the stage director, has lavished much time upon the mounting of the piece, while Mrs. Boyer has not spared money in giving him the things to do with. All in all it should prove the most interesting offering of the company.

Miss Winslow will be admirably cast in the part of a young woman who is forced to adopt various disguises.

Mr. Ethier will come into his own at last. For two weeks he has been but poorly fitted with parts. Next week he will be seen as a Confederate officer who does some interesting stunts and who captures the heart of the leading woman in the story.

There are several very good parts in the play, particularly good being those allotted to Mr. Daly, Mr. Beilin and Mr. Dunn.

Performances will be given every night during the week, and on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

### STAR THEATRE

Eugene Sweet, monologist, is to be the feature act for the week of May 18th. Mr. Sweet always becomes a great favorite with his audiences, and particularly with the ladies. He has a monologue in French dialect that never fails to draw a laugh from anyone who can laugh. His "Whispering Jim" is always a great success. The new songs for the week have never been heard in Lowell as illustrated songs. Miss Brothers, latest productions in moving pictures will be seen and three changes made during the week.

### THE PASTIME.

All lovers of good singing are advised to hear the songs now being sung at the Pastime. Mrs. Nichols is doing herself proud and adding to her well deserved laurels by her clever rendition of that great ballad, "As Long as the World Rolls On." As a fitting companion to this great song we have been able to secure another of the best of the day, "Give Me an American Girl," and as it is rendered by Mr. Buswell it well deserves the generous applause of the audience.

### CHELMSFORD

Mrs. Napoleon Lovely has a chicken with four legs. Unfortunately she doesn't run a boarding house.

Paul Pratt bruised his ankle by his breaking of a whiffle tree while ploughing, Thursday.

### THE MERRY WIDOW.



I am a merry widow  
As you can plainly see,  
My dress is quite delectable  
For I'm from "Africae."  
Husbands eight all met their fate  
And now for more I pine,  
Won't you please come  
And change the sum.  
—From number eight to nine.

### MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Harry S. Fuller, 22 milkman, Chelmsford, Mass., and Esther D. Johnson, 18, suspender factory, 60 Plain street. Joseph Dulka, 23, laborer, 72 Davidson street, and Michalina Kazanskina, 22 Davidson street.

Miss Katharine McCrann will leave this city next week and make her quarters in Hotel Pleasanton, Revere beach, where she has been for several summers.

Mr. Edward Kelley of Wentworth avenue has gone to Buffalo, N. Y., where he will be the guest of his daughter, Mrs. John Harlan.

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THERE IS NO REASON WHY THERE SHOULD BE A BUSINESS DEPRESSION AT THE PRESENT TIME IN A COUNTRY WITH SUCH VAST RESOURCES AS THIS UNDOUBTEDLY POSSESSES. IT IS SIMPLY A LACK OF CONFIDENCE WHICH WAS FOOLISH IN ITS ORIGIN BUT IS NOW HAPPILY BEING OVERCOME.

THE TRADE PAPERS, INCLUDING THE WOOL AND COTTON REPORTER, A VERY RELIABLE AUTHORITY, SPEAK IN HOPEFUL TERMS OF THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK AND IN THESE SENTIMENTS THE OFFICIALS OF THE LOCAL MILLS FULLY CONCUR.

THERE IS NO ONE THING IN THE LOCAL SITUATION SO REASSURING TO THE PEOPLE EMPLOYED IN THE MILLS, AS WELL AS THE MERCHANTS OF THIS CITY, AS THE FACT THAT SEVERAL NEW MILL BUILDINGS ARE TO BE CONSTRUCTED HERE DURING THE COMING SUMMER. THE MILL CORPORATIONS USUALLY KNOW THEIR GROUND BEFORE THEY GO AHEAD WITH ENTERPRISES OF THIS KIND.

CONGRESSMAN BURTON IN A RECENT SPEECH IN CONGRESS HAS POINTED OUT THE VAST DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE PRESENT DEPRESSION AND THAT OF 1893. THE HOPEFUL SIGN IN THE PRESENT CASE WAS THE PROMPT CHECK TO THE NUMBER OF BANK FAILURES LAST APRIL. THE BANKS THAT HAVE FAILED HAVE, WITH FEW EXCEPTIONS, STARTED UP AGAIN AND THERE IS A TOTAL ABSENCE OF RAILROADS AND CORPORATIONS GOING INTO THE HANDS OF RECEIVERS AS WAS THE CASE IN 1893. BESIDES, THE NUMBER OF BUILDING PERMITS RECORDED IN THE VARIOUS CITIES FROM CHICAGO TO NEW ORLEANS INDICATES A SPIRIT OF CONFIDENCE SUCH AS WAS NOT TO BE FOUND EITHER IN 1893 OR 1894. THIS SPEAKS WELL FOR THE PRESENT OUTLOOK. IT INDICATES THAT THE DEPRESSION IS PRACTICALLY GONE BY AND THAT BUSINESS IS SLOWLY THOUGH SURELY GETTING BACK TO ITS NORMAL CONDITION. IT MUST BE REMEMBERED THAT THIS DEPRESSION HAS NOT BEEN CONFINED TO THIS COUNTRY ALONE BUT WAS WORLD-WIDE AND THIS COUNTRY WILL BE FIRST TO SHOW COMPLETE RECOVERY FROM A STATE OF BUSINESS STAGNATION.

## OBJECTIONABLE PICTURE SHOWS

IN MANY OF THE MOVING PICTURE EXHIBITIONS HERE AND ELSEWHERE, SOME OF THE PICTURES PRESENTED ARE HIGHLY OBJECTIONABLE. SOME SEEM TO ENCOURAGE GAMBLING, OTHERS CRUELTY, AND STILL OTHERS MURDER. ONE OF THE PICTURES PRESENTED SHOWED A MAN IN DEBT, HIS BUSINESS RUINED, GOING OUT TO PLAY THE RACE TRACK WHERE HE WINS A LARGE AMOUNT, PAYS OFF THE MORTGAGE ON HIS HOUSE AND AGAIN IS HAPPY. ANOTHER PICTURE SHOWN HERE QUITE RECENTLY SHOWED TWO ROOSTERS IN A MOST REALISTIC COMBAT, WHICH WAS CONTINUED UNTIL ONE FELL DEAD. THERE HAS ALSO BEEN PICTURES OF BULL FIGHTS IN WHICH ONE ANIMAL WAS FINALLY KILLED. BUT WORSE EVEN THAN THESE WAS A PICTURE OF A LABOR STRIKE IN WHICH ONE OF THE STRIKERS KILLED THE BOSS AND WON GREAT APPLAUSE. NOW ALL THIS IS WRONG. ITS INFLUENCE UPON THE MINDS OF THE YOUNG IS BAD AND HENCE ALL SUCH OBJECTIONABLE FEATURES SHOULD BE ELIMINATED. TO INTRODUCE SUGGESTIVE PICTURES OR ONES OF DEMORALIZING OR BRUTALIZING TENDENCIES IS BUT TO PROSTITUTE AN INVENTION THAT COULD BE USED NOT ONLY TO AMUSE AND INSTRUCT BUT TO UPLIFT AND SAVE.

IN JUSTICE TO THE MOVING PICTURE THEATRES IT MUST BE SAID THAT QUITE FREQUENTLY SOME STRONG TEMPERANCE LESSONS ARE PRESENTED. SOME TOUCHING SCENES ILLUSTRATING FILIAL AFFECTION AND DOMESTIC VIRTUE. THESE ARE ALL GOOD AND IT IS DESIRABLE TO HAVE MORE OF THEM AND TO GUARD AGAINST LETTING ANY OBJECTIONABLE FEATURE INTO ANY OF THE COLLECTIONS.

LET US HOPE SOME PROPER CENSORSHIP WILL BE EXERCISED OVER THE MOVING PICTURE SHOWS BY THE MANAGERS IF BY NOBODY ELSE. IN ORDER THAT ALL THAT IS SUGGESTIVE OR DEMORALIZING IN ITS TENDENCY SHALL BE ELIMINATED.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

## PAY OF LETTER CARRIERS.

New Bedford Mercury: The letter carriers are disappointed that the item for the promotion of \$1000 carriers to the \$1200 grade has been cut \$500,000 in the post office appropriation bill as reported to the senate. The carriers believed the senate was committed to the advance and still have hope. The cut was made by the senate committee, which took into consideration the fact that the bill gives the carriers thirty days annual leave with pay. The carriers are understood to increase the advance in pay to the leave of absence and a contest for the restoration of the appropriation as passed by the house will be made on the floor of the senate.

## IRISH NATIONAL FORESTERS.

At the meeting of Branch O'Neill, Irish National Foresters, in Lowell, May 15, Maurice L. Harrington presided. There was a full attendance of members and officers. The report of Secretary Hunt was read and accepted. It showed the branch to be in a flourishing condition. Ten new members took the degree and twelve propositions were received. The report of James Cryan, chairman of the memorial committee, was accepted and it was voted to hold the memorial services on May 26, at which a local brother is invited to deliver the address on the martyrs who gave up their lives for the freedom of Ireland. Remarks on the good of the order were made by Treasurer Cryan and Chief Ranger Harrington, recited "Erick's Flag" with fine effect.

## JAPAN'S FINANCIAL TROUBLES.

Springfield Union: The report that prominent Japanese are trying to negotiate heavy loans for their government in New York and London draws attention anew to the extraordinary financial conditions of the country now said to be so desperately in need of funds that it will pay 5 per cent. interest. With its towering national ambition, its enormous expenditures of money to build a powerful army and navy and maintain its subsidized industries, Japan certainly presents an interesting study for students of history and economics. Most of the world and here it will all end. In attempting to place itself in the class with first-class powers, Japan is much like a clerk who attempts to live on his modern salary in the same manner as do wealthy merchants and manufacturers.

## PEOPLE OF NOTE

Senator Flint of California might without great exaggeration be called the dullest of the senate. He is easily the best dressed senator, not because his clothes are any finer in quality than those of some of his colleagues, but because they fit him better and are more correctly cut to the mode.

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fascinating from the point of view of the most colorful list. It is easily the most "correct" in the senate, and there are some very modish dresses in "The American House of Lords."

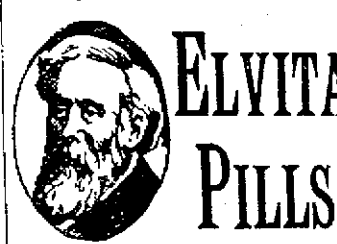
Commissioner Blumhagen of the New York police department said a few emphatic words recently as to the duties of a captain of police. The occasion was the trial of Capt. Steve McDevitt, head of the East Twenty-second street station on charges of failing to suppress a riot in his district. "I want to impress on this man and every other captain on the force that the city does not pay them to sit at their desks in the station houses and wait for citizens to come in with complaints. It is their duty to get out and keep in their precincts, to know what is going on, to locate gambling rooms and poolrooms and disorderly places and shut them up. That is what they are paid for. And if they're not willing to do this we will find men who are," said the commissioner.

Governor Campbell of Texas, won his nomination for governor somewhat along the same line as William J. Bryan was his first presidential nomination. Campbell was one of four candidates in one of the bitterest fights the state of Texas had ever known. Senator Bailey was leading the fight for him. The convention hall was tense with excitement. The crucial moment had come to cast the ballot. Just then the shrill notes of a life were heard down the street, and the battle and roll of a drum. Far and faint they seemed, but it was the air of a new day. Bailey sprang to his feet and threw both hands on high and shouted. "Listen! Don't you hear? The Campbells are coming!" Nearer came the music; the faint tones took on body and volume, and then down the aisle of the convention hall the shrill notes and up to the ceiling rolled the thunder of the drums. In the wake followed a frenzied, music-mad mob. "The Campbells are coming—tra-la-la!" they shrieked and shouted, and with the burst of the melody the nomination was carried.

Governor Broward of Florida, has the record of having appointed two United States senators within a period of four months. It has probably never been equaled before. Upon the death of Senator Malloy last December he appointed William J. Bryan to the vacancy. Bryan lived but four months, and he had to fill the vacancy once more, which he did by appointing William L. Milton, the present incumbent.

"When I appointed Bryan," said Governor Broward, "he was a clean-cut, alert, bright young fellow of great intelligence and industry. I looked for a great future for him. When he started

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to assume his official duties he told me that he hoped his career would vindicate my appointment, and that he hoped to spend the rest of his life in the senate and die in the harness. He did, poor fellow, but sooner than either he or I expected.

Governor Stebbins of Nebraska tells the following story about his famous fellow statesman, William J. Bryan. Early in his career Bryan made a tour of Nebraska, speaking for the democratic candidate. He attacked the republican candidate with a bitterness and vigor seldom equalled. The republican won. After the election there was a great harvest home festival in Lincoln, at which the governor-elect presided and at which Mr. Bryan was asked to speak. He sat on the stage hot and uncomfortable, facing the man he had called every name in the calendar. It was one of those fabulous where some one sang, then some one spoke, then some one read the Declaration of Independence, and then some one played a solo on a cornet, and again some one sang.

When it came Bryan's turn the presiding officer stepped to the front of the platform and said: "Now I wish to introduce to you your brilliant young fellow townsman, William J. Bryan, who will—"

Here he stopped, leaned over and whispered to Bryan in a stage whisper that none could fail to hear: "Do you speak or sing?"

## THE MILK BILL

Was Changed Again in

the Senate

BOSTON, May 16.—The milk standard bill went through another stage of its career in the senate yesterday and when it emerged it had been shorn of the section which permitted the sale of pure milk under a guarantee.

The analysis test is placed at 12.25 per cent. solids, 3.25 per cent. of which must be butter fat.

Senator Stevens started things when he moved to amend the bill by striking out that section which provides for the sale of pure milk below the standard and if the vessels in which it is sold are marked with a guaranteed analysis of what it contains.

"This bill, providing a milk standard, and in the next section permitting milk to be sold below that standard, nullifies itself," Senator Stevens said. "It practically removes the standard altogether and opens up possibilities which neither the state board of health nor the board of agriculture is willing to endorse."

Senator Norcross of Missouri did not agree with Senator Stevens. "If this bill is amended," he said, "as suggested it will mean simply that the man who owns a Holstein cow will be obliged to go out of business or take the risk of being stamped as a criminal if he sells his milk. Nobody claims that the milk of a healthy Holstein cow is not as good as that given by a healthy Jersey, and physicians declare this for the purpose of feeding infants and invalids it is better. I am for pure milk of any standard, but I want it pure."

Senator Jenney of Hyde Park favored the amendment. "It would be practically impossible to secure a conviction if the bill became a law in its present form," he said. "If we are to pass any law we should exact a standard as just to the producer as possible, at the same time protecting the rights of the consumer."

Senator Treadway defended the pure milk under a guarantee, but the senate voted, 15 to 10, in favor of adopting the amendment. After the bill was passed to be engrossed and was sent along to the house, where the real fight upon it will take place.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY

MASTER DANA K. HART RECEIVED MANY GIFTS.

There was a pretty little party at 114 Chapel street, Thursday evening, when about 30 young friends of Master Dana K. Hart gathered at his home to participate in the celebration of his 7th birthday. The usual games were played by the young people and there were instrumental and vocal selections by Mrs. Wm. Shackleton and Mr. John McKinley. Miss Catherine H. Hart, Dana's sister, presided. Refreshments were served during the evening by Mrs. John McKinley and Miss Margaret McKinley. Master Dana received many pretty and useful presents during the evening. The little folks started for home about 10 o'clock all agreeing they had spent a pleasant evening and wishing the young host many more just such pleasant anniversaries.

## BROMO SELTZER

ITS SALE AFFECTED BY THE NEW LAW.

As a result of the new pure food and drug law which stipulates that when a druggist sells drugs containing acetanilid he must mark the package containing such drug with the amount therein contained, many local druggists refuse to sell Bromo Seltzer except in the original bottle.

In order to comply with the law in serving Bromo Seltzer in a glass it would be necessary to have the amount of the drug written or stamped on the glass. The use of the drug in Bromo Seltzer is likely to be dropped.

## GRAND OFFICERS

TO VISIT INDUSTRY COUNCIL.

ROYAL ARCADE.

On June 2nd, Brother George H. Valley, grand orator, will pay an official visit to Industry Council, E. A. He will be accompanied by John J. Hogan, grand regent.

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## FIELD DAY

Equipments for the High School Regiment.

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WHITE MILITARY GLOVES . . . 12 1-2c  
L. H. S. PENNANTS . . . 45c  
L. H. S. ARM BANDS . . . 18c

## FIRE IN BASEMENT

Of the Cook & Taylor Store

The alarm from box 33 at a few minutes before eight o'clock this morning was for a blaze in a box of rubbish in the basement of the Store of Cook & Taylor in Central street. Chief Hosmer allowed that somebody lighted the gas in the basement and, accidentally and carelessly, threw the match in the box. The damage was very slight but the smoke filled the store and made it disagreeable for a time.

Fred C. Church had the insurance on the Cook & Taylor store, Central street, where the fire was this morning.

## THE RED MEN

EXALTED ONE WARRIOR AT LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

The regular meeting of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men was held last night and considerable business of importance was transacted. The degree staff performed the ceremony of exaltation on one warrior. Three applications were received and referred to committees. At the close of the next meeting the lot of officers will be met, the election of officers will take place and every member is requested to be present. Four candidates will be initiated. Some of the grand officers are expected to be present. Refreshments will be served and an entertainment given by the companions.

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## PLEADED GUILTY

Seven Men Implicated in Murder Cases

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Because Men Changed Their Pleas

By the decision of seven men charged with being implicated in four murders in Watertown, Newton and Somerville, and the energetic work of Dist. Atty. John J. Higgins and his staff, Middlesex county will be saved a possible expense of from \$35,000 to \$50,000 in trying them for their lives.

Last night John L. Ambrose, assistant clerk of courts, sent out notice to the 250 or more jurors summoned to attend the special sessions that were to have been held beginning Monday, May 18, and Monday, May 25, that their attendance at court would not be required until further notice.

Two of the men indicted by the Middlesex grand jury for murder changed their pleas of not guilty yesterday noon to that of guilty of murder in the second degree. They are Giuseppe Zeccolo of Watertown, charged with murdering Charles Reed in that town, and Ferdinand P. Ribasso of Somerville, charged with murdering his wife.

The remaining five under indictment for capital crimes are Pasquale Colicchio and Raffaele Reppucci of Boston, charged with the murder of Luigi Marro, or Montabo, at Newton, and Cesar L. Keison, John J. Killian and George F. alias "Doc" Gilmore, charged with the murder of Chas. E. Bushue, a Somerville druggist.

Colicchio has indicated his desire to change his plea of not guilty to murder to that of guilty of manslaughter. Reppucci, who was captured within the present week, wishes to

change his plea to guilty of being accessory after the fact. Keison, Killian and Gilmore have indicated to the district attorney that they will plead guilty to charges of murder in the second degree.

In all of these cases the district attorney will accept the pleas as outlined above. All the men will be brought into the superior court before Judge Sherman, probably Monday morning, for at 10 o'clock Monday, Dist. Atty. Higgins and his staff, Middlesex county will be saved a possible expense of from \$35,000 to \$50,000 in trying them for their lives.

**MATTHEW SOOTT**  
LOWELL BUSINESS MAN TENDER-  
ED DINNER IN BOSTON.

Matthew Soott, who has just gone into business in the Gilbride store in this city after 20 years' association with Farley, Harvey & Co. of Boston, was honored with a dinner last evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harvey at their home in Newton Centre. Mr. Soott was presented with a silver service. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Milo H. Hildell of Burlington, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Woodworth of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Harvey of Reading, Mr. and Mrs. George F. P. Roberts and John A. Waldo, Jr., of Boston.

**ANNUAL BANQUET**  
OF GROCERS AND BUTCHERS  
NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT.

The banquet to be given by the Grocers and Butchers' association at Odd Fellows hall, Middlesex street, next Tuesday evening, promises to eclipse anything of its nature conducted by the association in former years. Elaborate plans have been arranged for the event, and the committee in charge intends making the night one of pleasure for all.

The D. L. Page company will serve an elaborate menu, and the speech-making of the evening will include Mayor Farnham, Humphrey O'Sullivan, A. G. Walsh, Secretary John A. McKenna of the Lowell board of trade, Representative James E. O'Donnell and John A. Green of Cleveland, secretary of the National Retail Grocers' association. A selected musical program will be an added feature.

The committee expects every grocer and butcher and all the clerks to attend, and to bring their families and friends. It ought to be a "big night" for those concerned.

**THE ONLY WEBBER**  
THE MENU FOR NEXT TUESDAY  
AND THURSDAY.

Miss Webber will talk and do things before the ladies of Lowell at the Odd Fellows hall, next Tuesday, at 8 o'clock. See announcement on first page of this issue. Read the same to your husband.

Beef Cannelon.  
Ketchup Sauce.  
Graham Pop-Overs.  
Cream Puff Mixture.  
Cream Ruff.  
Chocolate Bread.  
Pudding with Meringue.

Every lady in Lowell is assured she will be welcome and every one is guaranteed a front seat, if there is room. Lecture begins promptly at 8 o'clock. See announcement on first page of this issue. Read the same to your husband.

**NO LIQUOR**  
TO BE SOLD AT THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

CHICAGO, May 16.—The sub-committee on arrangements of the republican national committee passed a rule yesterday which puts the Coliseum where the convention is to be held, in the prohibition column. It declares that "no liquor shall be sold, served or brought into the convention hall either at the committee meetings or during the convention."

**BRUTAL ATTACK**  
MAN ACCUSED OF KICKING HIS MOTHER.

BOSTON, May 16.—Accused of beating his own mother in front of their home, Michael J. Connolly, 25, of Desmond street, Roxbury, was arrested by officers of Station 9 just before midnight last night.

Mrs. Connolly is at the City hospital in a serious condition, suffering from a broken hip and bruises and contusions. According to the police Connolly, much the worse for liquor, returned home a few moments before the assault.

His mother, who had been anxiously awaiting him, is said to have remonstrated with him for his late appearance. This is said to have angered Connolly, who is alleged to have pushed his mother, knocking her down the door steps.

**IN RECEIVER'S HANDS.**  
NEW YORK, May 16.—The Vacuum Cleaner company was yesterday placed in the hands of a receiver with liabilities of \$270,000, and estimated assets of \$400,000, of which \$210,000 are in this city. Charles W. Gould was appointed receiver by the United States district court.

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## MARRIAGE VOID

Because Her Husband Lacked Good Faith

WHEN HE ENTERED INTO CONTRACT

His Child is Barred From the Estate

Not having entered into in good faith on the part of the husband, the second marriage of Mary A. Betham and William Hawkins, formerly a patrolman, and an officer at the house of correction in East Cambridge, is held illegal by Judge Hammond of the supreme court. Her children are entitled to her estate to the exclusion of his child.

In 1885 the woman and her first husband, Alfred J. Betham, came to this country from England. They lived in Boston and Melrose. They had two children, Mary F. and Frederick W. Betham. The couple separated.

During his life she married Hawkins. In 1893 Betham died. She died in 1904 and it was contended that the second marriage became legal under the statute providing that on the removal of any impediment to a lawful marriage, the marriage becomes legal, if entered into in good faith on the part of the other party.

Though Mrs. Hawkins could not marry legally while her first husband was alive, it was contended that on the death of the latter, her second marriage became legal as it was entered into in good faith on the part of the husband.

Hawkins died after his wife, leaving a daughter by a former marriage. She claimed she was entitled to share in the distribution of the estate of Mrs. Hawkins, being entitled to her father's interest in the property.

"The probate court held she was not entitled to any part of the property as her father was not the lawful husband of the deceased. She appealed from the decree and Judge Hammond yesterday affirmed the decree. So Mrs. Hawkins' own children will get the property which is worth about \$2000."

**"ELSIE" HERRICK**  
Former Lowell Man  
Dead in New York

The many Lowell friends of John F. Herrick, better known as "Elsie" Herrick, and a prominent member of Lowell lodge, B. P. O. Elks, will be pained to learn of his death which occurred yesterday at Ironville, N. Y. where he had been ill for a long time.

He was formerly in business in this city, but had been a resident of New York for over 10 years. While in Lowell he was prominent in the Elks and was a member of the old Big 12 social club. He leaves a brother in this city, Mr. Jos. Herrick, and a daughter, Mrs. Cullinane of Lawrence. Lowell lodge of Elks will take charge of the funeral and Sec. Boucher and Bro. Michael H. Connolly left for New York today.

**ANNUAL MEETING**  
OF SHAREHOLDERS OF LOWELL CO-OPERATIVE BANK.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Lowell Co-operative bank was held last night and the following officers were elected:

President, Artemus B. Woodworth; Vice president, Stephen R. Kitchen; Clerk and treasurer, William D. Brown; directors three years, Thomas Collins, Francis E. Appleton, Oliver H. P. Green, William H. Penn, William D. Brown; auditors, Lucius F. Panlitt, Herbert L. Bishop, Samuel A. Greathead.

At a meeting of the board of directors held after the shareholders' meeting the following officers were elected: Secretary, William D. Brown; attorney and conveyer, John F. Haskell; security committee, George H. Taylor, Warren F. Sanborn, Southwest Farmington; finance committee, Oliver H. P. Green, Thomas Collins, John Kerr.

Holders wishing money for immediate use indicated in brick bidding on \$800, showing the rate up to \$15 per cent. The dividend for the six months past was paid at the rate of five per cent. The following figures were contained in the annual report:

The real estate loans amount to \$26,055 and these for the bulk of the total assets of \$22,390.93. In the liabilities the dues capital is \$25,938, with profits of \$36,102.93. The forfeited share account shows just \$1. The total number of shares is 11,176 and the membership numbers 1583. There are 438 borrowers with 267 real estate loans.

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## ADMIRAL SPERRY

Is Now in Command of Fleet

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Was Substituted for the Vreeland Measure

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"The use of bonds of the insular government of Porto Rico, bonds of the government of the Philippines, and bonds of the city of Manila, as securities for the issuance of emergency circulation."

The requirement that national banking associations located outside of Central reserve cities, shall hold in their own vaults four fifths of the reserves required by law, either in lawful money or securities named in the bill, but that two thirds of the amount shall be in cash.

The prohibition against a national bank loaning money or investing in the stock of corporations, the officers or directors of which are officers or directors of the bank making the loan or investment.

The committee also added sections providing for a commission of nine senators and nine members of the house to be appointed by the presiding officers, to be called the national monetary commission, whose duty it shall be to "inquire into and report to congress what changes are necessary or desirable in the monetary system of the United States or in the laws relating to banking."

All of the democratic members of the committee voted to support the Aldrich bill in preference to the Vreeland measure, but on the floor of the senate all but four members of the minority voted against the passage of the bill as amended. The final vote was 47 yeas and 20 nays.

**IN THE HOUSE.**  
WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Vreeland currency bill as amended by the senate went to the house at 5:10 o'clock yesterday afternoon and immediately was called up by Mr. Burton (Ohio) who moved to suspend the rules, disagree to the amendments and ask a conference.

Mr. Burton explained what the senate had done and said the prompt action of the senate gave promise that something at this session would be accomplished.

In the opinion of Mr. Williams, the minority leader, the bill as amended by the senate, was infinitely worse than the Vreeland bill. He urged his colleagues to vote against the motion to disagree to the senate amendments, saying that if the motion to disagree was adopted, the bill would be lost and the bill would have to go to the banking committee.

Again getting the floor, Mr. Burton grilled the democrats for "side stepping" Thursday, a vote on the Williams bill.

The vote resulted: Yeas, 150; nays, 103; "present" 5, and the bill was sent to conference.

**STOLE MONEY**  
IN ORDER TO PAY DOCTOR'S BILL.

NEWTON, May 16.—That she might pay the doctor who was attending an invalid sister, was the reason given by Miss Emma C. Eastman, 35, of 92 Maple street, Waltham, in the Newton police court yesterday morning for appropriating money from her employers, the James S. Kennedy company of Newton Upper Falls.

She said that out of her salary she could not continue to have a physician care for her sister and did not consider the consequences. This fact was borne out by Miss Eastman arranging with her brother to make restitution for the money.

Judge Kennedy, although pleased with the idea of restoring the money, said that it did not expiate the crime, but consented to a postponement of the case for one week, and allowed Miss Eastman to be released on \$100 bail.

**Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY**  
ELECTED OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

At a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Craig yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. M. M. Craig; vice presidents, Mrs. Abel Kinney, Mrs. C. T. Epton, Mrs. A. R. Dillie; secretary, Mrs. C. O. S. Wheeler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. H. R. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Woodman; chairman of collectors, Mrs. Herbert Davis. Board of directors: the above officers, and Mrs. F. K. Stearns, Mrs. E. J. Brown, Mrs. Charles Steadler, Mrs. Burton H. Wiggins, Mrs. E. J. Neale, Mrs. Fred Woodles, Mrs. C. O. Wilson.

**SEEK COADJUTOR**  
ARCHBISHOP O'CONNELL WILL PRESIDE AT MEETING.

Archbishop O'Connell will preside at a meeting of the consultants and permanent rectors of the diocese at Burlington, Vt., next Tuesday, when the names of three clergymen will be selected for consideration as bishop coadjutor of the diocese. The bishops of the New England province will at a later meeting approve these three of select three others. The Holy See makes the final choice. The coadjutor will have the right of succession to the present bishop of Burlington, the Rt. Rev. Dr. John S. Michael, who has been ill for months and who has petitioned Rome to give him a coadjutor.

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**UNVEIL TABLET**  
To Memory of Ex-Gov. Boutwell

GROTON, May 16.—"If you wish to take a college course, I trust you will be able to do so. But there are three things you must have to succeed—industry, integrity and civility." You cannot get along without civility," was the advice given by the late ex-Governor Boutwell to a student of the Groton school.

Yesterday a body of 20 boys of this school stood with bare heads and sang Sir Henry Wotton's "The Character of a Happy Man" at the grave of the distinguished person who had attained world-wide reputation.

The occasion was commemorative exercises at the grave of the late Governor George S. Boutwell in the Groton cemetery in connection with the erection there of a monumental tablet erected by a committee of admirers, including Andrew Carnegie, General W. A. Bancroft, Moorfield Storey, Albert S. Parsons and John Ritchie.

The tablet is of white marble, standing five feet high. It is three feet wide and 10 inches thick. Besides reciting the great offices held by the late governor, the tablet is inscribed to an "Illustrated Citizen, Statesman and Patriot, Faithful, Devoted and Consistent Friend of Human Liberty."

The exercises were to have all been held at the grave, but owing to the coldness of the weather it was not deemed advisable. The party was taken to the cemetery in carriages and the gravesite decorated by the George S. Boutwell Post, G. A. R., of Ayer, and the E. S. Clark Post, B. O. of Groton. At the conclusion of the singing of the choir from the boys' school, the party returned to Town Hall and the program finished.

Among those who stood at the grave were Miss Georgiana M. Boutwell, daughter of the governor, the son, Francis M., and wife, ex-Mrs. Samuel A. Green of Boston, now a resident of Groton; the Rev. Charles C. Ames, D. D.; Edwin D. Mead, James S. Bowditch, Dana Estes, Winslow Warren, Irving Winslow, Francis K. Keene and George Abbott of Boston; the Hon. Moses P. Palmer, the Rt. Endicott Peabody, D. D.; E. H. Clement, George W. Sanborn, John A. Thatcher, George W. Saxon, Peter Whitcomb, Charles R. Baldwin, the Rev. Pemberton H. Cressney, the Rev. George M. Howe, the Rev. Mr. Turner and William K. Burn of Groton.

**WESTFORD**  
A special meeting of the town of Westford will be held Monday night, May 25. There are seven articles in the warrant, but the most important one is article three which reads as follows:

"To see if the town will vote to enlarge the Forge Village schoolhouse, so called and raise and appropriate, or borrow money to meet the indebtedness to be incurred thereby and act in relation to the same."

Members of the school board have said that the expense to the town will be about \$100 for the repairs needed and construction of the two rooms.

Another article in the warrant of importance is relative to the citizens' piling wood, lumber, brush or stones by the highways and ways. The other article is to see if the town will vote to discontinue several back roads.

## THE ALDRICH BILL

Says Prof. Marcou Proposed to Her

Was Substituted for the Vreeland Measure

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Aldrich currency bill was substituted for the Vreeland bill in the senate yesterday and the transfer took but little longer than was required in the calling of the roll. The effect is to throw both the senate and house bills into conference. The managers in that part of the senate, who were immediately appointed, are Messrs. Aldrich, Allison, Hale, Daniel and Teller. The dispatch with which the agreement was reached is a striking example of what can be done in the closing days of a session of congress.

A meeting of the senate committee on finance was held in the forenoon and a decision to amend the house bill by substituting the measure passed by the senate several weeks ago was reached without difficulty. Chairman Aldrich was authorized to make the report, which he did as soon as the bill passed by the house yesterday had been "measured over."

Some changes were made in the separate bill by the committee, however, and it was necessary to have a new print of it prepared before it could be called for consideration. Three amendments were confined to the elimination of matter incorporated in the original Aldrich bill after it was reported from the committee. The provisions struck out were:

"The use of bonds of the insular government of Porto Rico, bonds of the government of the Philippines, and bonds of the city of Manila, as securities for the issuance of emergency circulation."

The requirement that national banking associations located outside of Central reserve cities, shall hold in their own vaults four fifths of the reserves required by law, either in lawful money or securities named in the bill, but that two thirds of the amount shall be in cash.

The prohibition against a national bank loaning money or investing in the stock of corporations, the officers or directors of which are officers or directors of the bank making the loan or investment.

The committee also added sections providing for a commission of nine senators and nine members of the house to be appointed by the presiding officers, to be called the national monetary commission, whose duty it shall be to "inquire into and report to congress what changes are necessary or desirable in the monetary system of the United States or in the laws relating to banking."

All of the democratic members of the committee voted to support the Aldrich bill in preference to the Vreeland measure, but on the floor of the senate all but four members of the minority voted against the passage of the bill as amended. The final vote was 47 yeas and 20 nays.

**STOLE MONEY**  
IN ORDER TO PAY DOCTOR'S BILL.

NEWTON, May 16.—That she might pay the doctor who was attending an invalid sister, was the reason given by Miss Emma C. Eastman, 35, of 92 Maple street, Waltham, in the Newton police court yesterday morning for appropriating money from her employers, the James S. Kennedy company of Newton Upper Falls.

She said that out of her salary she could not continue to have a physician care for her sister and did not consider the consequences. This fact was borne out by Miss Eastman arranging with her brother to make restitution for the money.

Judge Kennedy, although pleased with the idea of restoring the money, said that it did not expiate the crime, but consented to a postponement of the case for one week, and allowed Miss Eastman to be released on \$100 bail.

**Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY**  
ELECTED OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

At a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Craig yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. M. M. Craig; vice presidents, Mrs. Abel Kinney, Mrs. C. T. Epton, Mrs. A. R. Dillie; secretary, Mrs. C. O. S. Wheeler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. H. R. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Woodman; chairman of collectors, Mrs. Herbert Davis. Board of directors: the above officers, and Mrs. F. K. Stearns, Mrs. E. J. Brown, Mrs. Charles Steadler, Mrs. Burton H. Wiggins, Mrs. E. J. Neale, Mrs. Fred Woodles, Mrs. C. O. Wilson.

**SEEK COADJUTOR**  
ARCHBISHOP O'CONNELL WILL PRESIDE AT MEETING.

Archbishop O'Connell will preside at a meeting of the consultants and permanent rectors of the diocese at Burlington, Vt., next Tuesday, when the names of three clergymen will be selected for consideration as bishop coadjutor of the diocese. The bishops of the New England province will at a later meeting approve these three of select three others. The Holy See makes the final choice. The coadjutor will have the right of succession to the present bishop of Burlington, the Rt. Rev. Dr. John S. Michael, who has been ill for months and who has petitioned Rome to give him a coadjutor.

**FRANK SANTRY**  
DISLOCATED HIS SHOULDER WHILE FOOLING.

Frank Santry, aged 28 years, employed at the St. Charles hotel, while fooling yesterday was thrown and suffered a dislocated shoulder. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to St. John's hospital.

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SIGN OF THE TIMES  
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to conference. The speaker announced Messrs. Vreeland, Burton, Weeks (Mass.), republicans; and Glass (Va.) and Pule (La.), democrats, as the managers from the house.

**AT HARVARD**  
ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE APPOINTMENTS MADE.

CAMBRIDGE, May 16.—Appointments for the coming year by the president and fellows of Harvard college were announced last night. Eugene Kuhnman has been selected as visiting professor of German literature for next year.

Prof. Kuno Franke, at the head of the Harvard German department, has been granted to leave of absence for a year.

Dr. William Morton Wheeler has been chosen professor of economic entomology and will assume charge of the Bussey Institute of Agriculture at Forest Hills, and will re-organize this department of the university.

Dr. Reginald Heber Fitz at present Hersey professor, is made emeritus professor.

Dr. John Hildreth McCollum, assistant professor of contagious diseases, is made professor.

The following Andover professors are announced for the Divinity school: William Rosenzweig Arnold, Hebrew language and literature; Edward Young Hincks, biblical theology; John Winthrop Plummer, ecclesiastical history; and Wm. Henry Ryder, New Testament interpreter. These appointments are entirely honorary and without pay, being made for the purpose of co-operation in accordance with the recent arrangement for the union of the Andover Theological seminary with the Harvard Divinity school. The Andover professors will give courses open to students in the Divinity school.

**PRETTY CANTATA**  
GIVEN AT IMMANUEL CHURCH BY AMATEURS.

A pretty cantata entitled "The Wreck of the Hesperus" was given Thursday night at the Immanuel Baptist church. The choir of the church was assisted by singers from Chelmsford where the piece is to be given in the near future. There was a chorus of 24 voices, the solos being taken by Miss Gertrude French, soprano; Mr. John Panly, tenor; and Mr. Joseph Faulcon, bass, and the piano accompaniment was by Miss Lillian Kilborne.

Besides the cantata the following program was rendered: Reading, "The World Will Never Know," Miss Mabel Kendrick; whistling solo, Miss Cadell, accompanied by her sister, Miss Esther Cadell; song, "The Night Has a Thousand Eyes," ladies' quartet, Misses Irene Gurney, Gertrude French, Alice Stearns, and Mrs. Edith Gould; reading, "How Good It Was," Miss Kendrick; whistling solo, Miss Cadell; baritone solo, "The Coming of the King," Mr. William C. Ward, accompanied by Miss Gurney; piano duet, "Qui Vive," Misses Lillian Gatabook and Mabel Barritt. All received liberal applause, and several encores were given.

After the concert ice cream was served by the ladies of the church, and a social hour was enjoyed.

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If nature says spectacles, why spectacles it must be. Nature won't accept just spectacles though; they must be the right spectacles. We can supply the kind nature demands and our prices are right also.

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## THE PAPER TRUST

Denies There is Restriction of Trade

WASHINGTON, May 15.—A telegram from the J. R. Booth paper mill of Ottawa, Canada, stating that in some instances that institution pays larger wages to its skilled employees than are paid in the United States, was read with the special wood pulp and paper committee of the House met today.

David S. Coles, president of the American Paper and Pulp Association, president of the W. H. Parsons company, vice president of the Bowdoin Paper Mill company, president of the Libby's Paper company, president of the Peapack Paper company, president of the Ray Shore Lumber company, president of the Sagadahoc Towing company, all interested in the paper making business, denied a statement of John Norris, representative of the American Newspaper Publishers' association, that an agreement existed between the American manufacturers and the Canadian manufacturers not to go into the eastern market. As a matter of fact, he said, last April, Canadian paper was offered to Herman Ridder, president of the Publishers' association, at \$2.43 per hundred pounds, delivered in the press room in New York.

Mr. Coles reiterated a statement he made some time ago that wages at his mill advanced forty per cent, which had been contradicted by Mr. Norris. On the first of April, 1907, he said, his mill changed its shift which necessitated an increase of about fifty per cent in the number of employees.

"This whole controversy," he said, "was started by the statement of the publishers that there is an illegal combination in the restraint of trade between the manufacturers of paper. The newspapers have undertaken to force a change in the tariff based upon the statement. The discussion at no time has been on the merits of the case, whether the duty is proper or improper."

"Congress has been asked to take on the duty to punish the American manufacturers of print paper for being in an illegal restraint of trade. So far as I know there is absolutely no such thing. There is as broad competition today as there ever was or as there is ever likely to be," said Mr. Coles. He told what the newspapers are doing to obtain their demands and decided they have threatened to defect from Congress if they did not vote the way the newspaper desired.

"I cannot make a statement that would be admitted in evidence where the rules of evidence were rigidly enforced that would substantiate that charge," said Mr. Coles, "but that is the general talk. That is the general belief and I think it is a fact."

Mr. Coles told of the purposes of the American Paper and Pulp Association, which he said is an unincorporated organization. "It is a mere shell," he stated, "and practically amounts to nothing. It does no business."

Mr. Coles explained figures to show that the cost of preparing pulp wood increased a dollar per cord during the past ten years, and he also gave figures showing the production and labor cost in the different periods of that time in the different mills under his control.

## ALUMNI BANQUET

YALE, HARVARD AND PRINCETON WERE REPRESENTED.

BOSTON, May 16.—A tri-university banquet, which included the alumni of Princeton, Yale and Harvard, was held at the Hotel Vendome last night, the occasion marking the ninth annual reunion of the Princeton Alumni Association of New England, who were the hosts of the evening. Rev. Dr. Princeton '83 of Dedham, was the toastmaster and the speakers included President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard and President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton.

## BOSTON &amp; MAINE R. R.

THROUGH TRAIN SERVICE.  
Trains Leave Lowell  
In effect February 1, 1908.

CHICAGO—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
ST. LOUIS—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
MONTREAL—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
QUÉBEC—8:41, 10:20 a. m., 12:00, 12:10 p. m.  
BURLINGTON—8:41 a. m., 12:00, 12:10 p. m.  
DETROIT—10:30, 11:55, 12:00, 12:10, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
CLEVELAND—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
CINCINNATI—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
UTICA—10:30, 11:55, 12:00, 12:10, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
TORONTO—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
HAMILTON—12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
BINGHAMPTON, HORNBELL, ELmira—7:22, 8:50 a. m., 12:00, 12:10, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
SYRACUSE, ROCHESTER—10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
BUFFALO—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
NIAGARA FALLS—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
PORTLAND—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
BANGOR—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
CALAIS, EASTPORT—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
ST. JOHN, HALIFAX and the Provinces—7:22, 8:50, 10:30, 11:55 a. m., 12:00, 12:25, 12:41, 1:52, 2:10, 3:10 p. m.  
Daily. A—Daily except Sunday. B—Sunday only. C—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. D—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. E—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. F—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. G—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. H—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. I—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. J—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. K—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. L—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. M—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. N—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. O—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. P—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. Q—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. R—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. S—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. T—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. U—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. V—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. W—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. X—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. Y—Daily except Saturday and Sunday. Z—Daily except Saturday and Sunday.

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The name "Squibb" means to medicine what "Sterling" means to silver, the very highest quality obtainable. We use "Squibb" chemicals only in compounding prescriptions—unless otherwise made is specified by your doctor—thereby obtaining the best possible results for doctor and patient from the medicine prescribed. Let us fill your prescription.  
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## THE PRESIDENT

Has Right to Dismiss a Soldier

NEW YORK, May 15.—The right of President Roosevelt summarily to dismiss a negro soldier of the 25th Infantry for alleged participation in the riot at Brownsville, Texas, was sustained yesterday by Judge Hough in the U. S. District Court. Oscar Reid, the soldier, sued the government to recover \$122 as wages from the date of his dismissal to the expiration of his enlistment. District Attorney Stinson contended that the president had a right to dismiss the soldier. Judge Hough sustained this contention, and directed a judgment in favor of the government.

## ALCOHOL

MAY BE USED FOR LIGHTING AND HEATING AT LITTLE COST.

The removal of internal revenue tax from alcohol has at once made available for general purposes, an ideal liquid fuel, the value of which has long been recognized, and the general adoption of alcohol for numberless household as well as commercial purposes has only awaited the possibility of procuring it at the low prices which are now enabled.

Alcohol, suitably denatured or rendered unfit for internal or medicinal uses, may now be freely and commonly purchased at a price which enables its competition with kerosene, gasoline, gas and electricity as an illuminant or fuel, and for general household purposes.

The low cost, safety, cleanliness and convenience of denatured alcohol and the devices for its employment, combined with their high efficiency, commend them to most careful consideration.

Alcohol lighting and cooking devices are sure to become of interest to owners of lake and shore cottages, campers and vacationists and to dwellers in suburban and rural communities where gas and electricity are not available.

"The C. B. Coburn Co., 63 Market street, is giving an interesting demonstration of the uses of denatured alcohol, showing many devices for heating and lighting. It is worth while."

## ROBBED SALOON

Burglars Entered Mr. Farrell's Place

Burglars broke into the saloon of Martin Farrell, in Riverside street, Braintree, some time Thursday night or early Friday morning and stole six sealed bottles of whiskey, two gallons of gin, six bottles of rum, two boxes of cigars and a silver watch and chain. Entrance was effected by removing a rear window. Chief of Police Sullivan and Officers Tyrrel and Buckley, who were notified of the break when it was discovered yesterday morning by Mr. Farrell, are hard at work upon the case.

## GEN. AMES CAMP

HELD ITS THIRD ANNUAL DANCE LAST NIGHT.

The third annual dance of Gen. Adelbert Ames camp, United Spanish War Veterans and Edith Prescott Wolcott auxiliary was held last night in Lincoln hall. The attendance was very large and an excellent time was had. Hubbard's orchestra furnished music for dancing and during the intermission refreshments were served.

The officers in charge of the dance were: General manager, Blanche Jolly, president; assistant, Edward Nowlan, commander; floor director, Frank Dodge, Q. M.; chief aid, Colby T. Kittredge, chaplain; aids, Alice Goodwin, conductor; Isabel Ellis, treasurer; Melissa Ellis, chairman; Lizzie Mitchell, A. C.; Bessie Barnett, Mark Bentley, J. V. C.; Frank Hotchkiss, O. G.; William Prescott, Walter Berry, Walter Jeyes.

AT HOOB'S FARM.  
A party of students from the Bessy institution of Harvard University spent Thursday at Hooob farm, looking over the famous Jerseys and prize winning Berkshires.

A luncheon was served and in leaving the students voted they had had a most enjoyable and instructive day.

By the Board of Aldermen, of the City of Lowell.

The undersigned respectfully petitions your honorable Board for license to set up and operate a stationary steam engine and boiler of twelve (12) horse power, at premises No. 23 Adams street.

ARTHUR ORESTES.

CITY OF LOWELL.

In Board of Aldermen.

Order granting a hearing on petition of Arthur Orestes, for license to set up and operate a stationary steam engine and boiler, at premises No. 23 Adams street.

Under the By the Board of Aldermen, of the City of Lowell, assembled as follows:

That on the petition of Arthur Orestes, for license to set up and operate a stationary steam engine and boiler, at premises No. 23 Adams street, a hearing be given at a meeting of the Board of Aldermen, to be held at their room, Tuesday morning, June 2nd, 1908, at eight o'clock, and that all parties interested in the matter, may have due notice that they may be heard before final action is taken thereon. A copy of said petition and of this order be published in the Lowell Sun, such publication to be fourteen days at least, previous to the time as stated in said petition.

In Board of Aldermen, May 12, 1908.

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## BRYAN'S NAME

BOSTON, May 15.—If William Jennings Bryan expects to be nominated for the presidency, his expectations depending on the action of the ninth congressional democratic convention held at Faneuil hall last night, will be blasted.

By a practically unanimous vote the convention refused to adopt resolutions offered by Mr. William F. Hilkey of Winthrop pledging the delegates to Bryan.

The attitude of ward 5 caused a big surprise, especially as Martin Lomasney, after having led the fight for Bryan in the state convention, hailed by George Fred Williams as the new city and state leader, was the power that prevented Bryan's endorsement.

The convention nominated as delegates to the Denver convention, Representative Daniel J. McDonald of ward 2, Charles J. McEntire of ward 3, and Andrew A. Henderson of ward 6, who is an ex-representative and an ex-member of the school committee.

The election of these two delegates was made unanimous, and the alternatives elected were Daniel W. Gallagher of ward 2 and "Honest" John Quinn of ward 7, the convention by a unanimous vote putting the word "honest" in front of the name of Quinn.

## BILLERICA

The wet finishing and burling departments of the Talbot mills are now running on Friday and Saturday of each week. The other departments, however, are running but four days a week.

## A Word to Smokers

Buckley Bros. Cigar Manufacturers

are in the front rank as dealers. Their SATURDAY 5 CENT SPECIAL CIGAR

has all others beat a mile and Saturday is the only day that this cigar can be bought for a nickel, all other days it will cost you 10 cents. The wise ones should take advantage of this half price sale. Remember the place, BUCKLEY'S CIGAR STORE

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Proposals for School House and Fire House

Separate sealed proposals will be received from local contractors only, at the office of the Inspector of Buildings at City Hall until THURSDAY, May 22, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the construction of a schoolhouse on land known as the Lang lot, situated on Lang street, facing Ireland street, and also for a fire house on land situated on West Sixth street near Encliff street, for the city of Lowell.

The contracts for the work will be as follows:

Schoolhouse—

Foundation work.

Brick work.

Plastering.

Carpenter work.

Plumbing and gas piping.

Heating and ventilation.

Sheet metal work.

Electrical work.

Gas and electric fixtures according to plans and specifications furnished by E. R. Clark, architect.

Fire House—

Foundation work.

Brick mason work.

Carpenter work.

Plastering.

Sheet metal work.

Plumbing.

Heating, ventilating and gas piping according to plans and specifications furnished by H. P. Graves, architect.

Each proposal must be made on a blank form which can be procured of the architects or at the office of the Inspector of Buildings and no bid will be accepted if presented on any other form.

A certified or bank cashier's check for 10 per cent. of the price mentioned in the proposal must accompany each proposal, said check to be made payable to the treasurer of the city of Lowell and to be forfeited to the city if the successful bidder refuses to sign his contract after three days' notice that said contract is ready for signature.

Each contractor must be prepared to give a bond to the amount of 25 per cent. of the amount of the contract price, conditioned on the satisfactory execution of the contract, as required by the plans and specifications.

Drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the Inspector of Buildings, office of the architects and rooms of the Master Builders' Association.

In Honor, the Mayor and the Inspector of Buildings reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

For order, W. W. SMITH, Inspector of Buildings.

By the Board of Aldermen, May 12, 1908.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, and all other persons interested in the estate of William H. Hayes, late of Lowell in said County, deceased.

Whereas, James J. Kerwin and Albert J. Hazon, administrators of the estate of said deceased, have presented to said Court their petition for license to sell at public auction the whole of a parcel of the real estate of said deceased, for the payment of debts, and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-first day of May, A. D. 1908, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least, before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, and all other persons interested in the estate of Jerome F. Gilson, late of Dunstable, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Annie J. Gilson, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the order made in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of three certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-second day of May, A. D. 1908, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least, before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of L. M. Cook, of Concord, in the County of Merrimack, and State of New Hampshire, deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described, and to the Treasurer and Receiver General of said Commonwealth.

Whereas, Dennis Green, appointed executor of the will of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Merrimack, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court his petition representing that as such executor he is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit: Deposit and interest in Lowell Institution for Savings, Book No. 3011, and praying that he may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms as may be adjudged best, or persons as he shall think fit, or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of May, A. D. 1908, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Zoa Ann Peabody, late of Tyngsboro, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Myra M. Richardson of Parkman, in the State of Maine, without giving a surety on her bond.

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Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## TO LET

TO LET—5 rooms, pantry, bath room, \$11 and \$12. Apply 18 Grand st.

TO LET—6-room flat, bath and pantry and all the latest conveniences, Agawam st., near Moore. Inquire 135 Agawam st.

TO LET—Lodging house of 15 rooms, Tyler st. Apply to Henry Miller & Son, 2 Wyman's Exchange.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, one for light housekeeping. Inquire 62 Middlesex st.

TO LET—Tenement of four rooms at 40 Wright st., Pawtucketville.

TO LET—Flat of seven rooms with all modern improvements on Rogers st. Inquire at 429 Rogers st.

TO LET—One or two unfurnished rooms, very pleasant location. Apply 23 Chestnut st., upper bell.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. 6 Stackpole st.

TO LET—Upstairs tenement, 8 rooms, sunny and bright, good condition, doors separate; adults preferred; rent reasonable. Inquire 32 Franklin st.

TO LET—Cottage six rooms, pantry and gas, fifteen minutes' walk from square. Inquire 131 Coburn st., Centralville, or Laver Printing Co.

TO LET—Newly furnished rooms. Apply 75 East Merrimack st.

TO LET—Clean, sunny 3-room tenement near Cambridge st. \$10 a mo. Modern 7-room tenement near Canal st. Bath, \$15 a mo. New 7-room up-to-the-minute tenement on Gibson st. \$12 a mo. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO RENT—To a small family a five-room tenement in block on Fletcher st. Apply at 382 Fletcher st.

TO LET—Extra clean, bright and dry, 2 and 4 room tenements. Kindest and most helpful treatment both given and expected at Chestnut square. Geo. E. Brown, 79 Chestnut st.

TO LET—One half double house of eight rooms on Mt. Washington st., with all modern improvements such as hot and cold water, open plumbing, large bath room, set wash trays, hardwood floors, and large back and front yards, with fruit trees. Inquire of John F. Curley, 15 Varney st. or at The John St. Public Market.

TO LET—At 42 Moody st., a cottage and stable. Telephone 1654-3.

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room, single or en suite with gas and bath. Apply 217 Gorham st.



# SOME TITLED EUROPEAN YACHTSWOMEN

"RULE Britannia, rule the wave!" warbles the loyal Briton, and, though other nations may scoff at his enthusiasm, Britannia goes right on ruling the wave. There is no doubt that the English are the greatest race of seamen in the world, quite as great in their way as the ancient Phoenicians, and perhaps one of the secrets of their greatness is this enthusiasm and the fact that their women are, so many of them, fine sailors. Nowhere else in the world will you find so many women devoted to aquatic sports and excelling in them. It was Great Britain that gave the world a marine heroine, Grace Darling, and you will never find a finer, sturdier stock than the fisher women of her northern islands.

Even the great ladies of England are proud of their skill as navigators. Some of the famous beauties of England have won their matchless complexions in contests with the wind and waves in the season's villages in which their earliest years were spent. The salt sea is a wonderful invigorator of the skin and its ozone a tonic unexcelled by anything in the pharmacopoeia.

It was the open air life and the salt breezes of Jersey that gave Lily Langtry her marvelous skin. One of the best amateur sailors in England is Mrs. Cornwallis West, whose daughters, the Princesses of Pless and the Duchess of Westminster, are never happier than when aboard a yacht. Mrs. George Keppel, now prime favorite at the English court, is the daughter of Admiral Sir Archibald Edmondstone and comes of a race of sailors. The Marchioness of Londonderry, celebrated for her beauty and jewels, is seen at her best in yachting costume. When at Mount Stewart, a favorite country seat, one of her ladyship's favorite recreations is yachting. The Marchioness of Ormonde, whose husband is commodore of the Royal Yacht Squadron, is one of the most accomplished of aristocratic yachtswomen. Her two daughters, Lady Constance Butler and Lady Beatrice Pole-Carew, famous beauties of the London smart set, are as fond of the water as mermaids. A cold plunge into the sea every morning is said to be part of the day's routine when they are on board their father's crack yacht, the *Mirage*. The wife and daughter of Lord Dunraven, who twice equipped yachts to try to win the international cup from America, accompany the earl on many of his yachting expeditions. The Duchess of Sutherland, who does so many things well, is devoted to yachting. So, too, are the dowager Countess de la Warr and her daughter, Lady Mary Sackville. Lady de la Warr sails a yacht of thirty-three tons named the *Violet*. The Duchess of Bedford, who is a most enthusiastic sportswoman, can manage a boat as well as most skippers and is one of the most interesting figures at the annual Cowes regatta. Lady Lonsdale, the wife of the sporting earl, shares her husband's taste in regard to sport. Her favorite recreation being yachting. The Duchess of Leeds, whose husband is one of the heads of the Royal Yacht Squadron, is a most retiring English peeress, indifferent to London society



COUNTESS OF ANNESELEY

and preferring her looks at one of her husband's splendid country seats to life in the gay city. The duchess is a sister of the Earl of Durham, one of the richest nobles in the "north country" and of a race that knows and loves the sea. Her brother, Sir Hedworth Lambton, is the commander of the king's yacht, the *Victoria and Albert*, a much prized pleasure by the officers of the royal navy. One of the most popular of English beauties, Georgiana, Lady Dudley, is a clever yachtswoman, as is her daughter, Lady Wolverton, the two scarcely ever missing a gathering of the Royal Yacht Squadron. Lady Langgattock is never happier than when aboard on her yacht, the *Santa Maria*. The furnishings of this vessel, which are especially handsome for an English yacht, were designed by Lady Langgattock herself. Lady Evelyn Guinness, wife of the Hon. Walter Edward Guinness, a son of the rich English brewing family of that name, has a great penchant for the sea. Her husband is interested in the races at Cowes, and she is herself an excellent sailor. She is the third daughter of the Earl of Rocham, and her husband is the third son of Viscount Iveagh.

One of the most famous of the English yachtswomen is the lovely Countess of Annesley, who spent her honeymoon on board her husband's ship, the *Sea Bird*. Lady Annesley is a successful fisher woman as well as a sailor. The Countess Carnarvon, remembered pleasantly in this country, which she visited with her husband in 1903, is a yachtswoman of repute. Although the Carnarvons have several fine estates, they spend much of their time on board their yacht.

No list of English yachtswomen

would be complete without the name of Mrs. G. A. Schenley, who can handle a boat as well as any old salt. Although comparatively unknown in America, the Schenleys have American blood in their veins, the mother of Mr. Schenley having been a Pittsburgh heiress who eloped with a Captain Schenley and thus transferred to English ownership some of the most valuable tracts of real estate in the city of Pittsburgh. These had been handed down in the family from an Indian trader said to have first made his appearance around old Fort Duquesne about the time of the French and Indian war and to have been extremely thrifty in his dealings with the Indians. Schenley park, the principal breathing spot of the Smoky City, which extends over a large tract of land in the rear of Mr. Carnegie's library and technical school, was the gift of the Schenleys to the city. The Schenleys still keep up an acquaintance with their Pittsburgh relatives, who include the Denny, the O'Hara, the Darlington, but in most particulars they have become thoroughly Anglicized and in nothing more so than in their devotion to yachting.

It is natural that yachting should be a fashionable sport of the English aristocracy, for royalty itself sets the example. Queen Alexandra is a thorough daughter of the sea kings in her devotion to the ocean. She is said to be happiest on board a ship, and nothing renews her health and good looks so much as a cruise in the royal yacht *Victoria and Albert*, which has been fitted up with every appliance that can make it comfortable and convenient. Her daughters, the Princess Louise, Duchess of Fife, Princess Victoria and Queen Maud of Norway, are all able



LADY EVELYN GUINNESS



COUNTESS OF CARNARVON

sailors. The Connaughts, although they are not rich enough to own a very pretentious craft, are always delighted with the opportunity to take a cruise. Princess Henry of Battenberg has the yacht *Sheila*, a vessel of about eighty tons, in which it is her delight to spend

much of her leisure time. Here her husband, Prince Louis, is known in every part of the Mediterranean. The late Queen Victoria also, ex-Empress Eugenie, who is nowadays spent considerable time on the water. Princess Henry of Battenberg has the yacht *Sheila*, a vessel of about eighty tons, in which it is her delight to spend

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PRINCESS HENRY OF PLESS



LADY LONDONDERRY

King Edward fell heir to them they were thought retired from yachting. The Duke of Wight, who is again Victoria's second son, is a yachtsman, and his favorite yachting vessel, the *Wight*, is the largest of the royal fleet.

Cowes week is the great event in European yachting circles. The regatta is a splendid function, in which women play a prominent and picturesque part, even to contesting for prizes. To this little town on the left of Wight, in the first week of August, every year the vessels of all the yachting clubs of the world converge. The fact that it is the headquarters of the Royal Yacht Squadron, which includes all the crack vessels of Great Britain's yachting aristocracy, has made the town famous, and the regatta is its chief source of income. Various races are run for prizes offered by individuals or clubs, but the most prized trophies are the cups offered by the Royal Yacht Squadron and the town of Cowes. All the most famous yachtsmen for these prizes, the races beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning and being announced by the firing of a gun from the castle, which is now the clubhouse of the Royal Yacht Squadron. All the craft in the harbor are crowded with women in trim costumes, and the results of the races are followed with the most intense excitement. The town of the castle during the afternoon of Cowes week is crowded with the women relatives and friends of members, but the entire is very difficult for those not included in the exclusive set of English society. Indeed, for a newcomer to be seen on the lawn at Cowes is enough to announce to the world that he or she has arrived socially.

The rich American's love for yachting has of course been fostered by the devotion of the English to this sport. It is even in its simplest form an expensive recreation, for a small yacht costs well up into the thousands, and the expense of maintaining it is very great. However, many Americans are willing to spend this money, for nothing brings them so quickly and closely into touch with the leaders of the old world aristocracy as even royalty itself than to own crack yachts and have the reputation of being smart sailors.

One lesson, however, might be learned from the English. While no expense is spared in making their yachts trim and fast, luxurious furnishings are a secondary consideration. Indeed, the yachts even of royalty are, from the standpoint of the American new rich, fitted out with great simplicity. Simplicity, too, characterizes the yachting costumes of English yachtswomen. Serviceable serge and the Irish tweeds popularized by the Marchioness of Londonderry, who is a great worker on behalf of the Irish industries, are the popular materials. Trim sailor hats and substantial boots and gloves are essential features of the modish yachting costumes. Trains and the frills and frilleries sometimes seen on American yachtswomen are considered bad form by the English ladies.

WINIFRED WORTHINGTON.

## Making Home Happy Not a One Sided Affair

WHEN you hear about an unhappy marriage just remember there are two sides to it. To read the women's magazines, especially the recent numbers, you would imagine that women alone had it in their power to make home happy.

Not a bit of it! A woman, no matter how hard she works, certainly cannot make a real home unless her husband helps her. A man who comes

home bearing his business troubles with him will spoil the best of dinners and the most pleasant of evenings.

You see plenty of articles advising the wife to appear always well dressed, but what about the husband? How does he appear in his wife's eyes when he lounges around in his old coat or perhaps in no coat at all?

A woman is blamed if she talks of her household troubles at the dinner table. She must be bright, entertaining, chatty, say the oracles. But what

of the man? He comes home with a grouch. The market has gone wrong, and during the evening meal he sits behind his newspaper scanning the closing quotations.



scanning the closing quotations, while his poor little wife eats in silence.

What about keeping his worries to himself, eh? Then, talking about tempers, what of the husband's disposition? Is it always even? Men have "sulks" oftener than women, and they show their displeasure openly where a woman's training would teach her to conceal it.

The "Manly" Way.

A man expects absolute sympathy from his wife. She must laugh when he laughs, weep when he weeps. She is expected to listen to his most long-winded remarks "intelligently." But what about the sympathy he gives her?

It seems to me it is a very risky quality. If he happens to be interested in what she is saying, why, well and good, but if he isn't he will like as not tell her quite crossly not to be silly, and why does she tell him all that stuff and nonsense?

And, then, too, a man lives for his comfort. If Bridget soils the soup he is distinctly aggrieved. His wife suffers from the servant's carelessness quite as much as he does, but she conceals her feelings on the subject.

And, then, what about loneliness as a factor toward making unhappiness in married life?

Suppose a wife were to go off nearly every evening and leave her husband alone. What, I ask you, would be the result as far as he was concerned?

Id have to say.

Husbands do this sort of thing constantly to their wives. Can you blame the women for rebellion? And yet they are called every name in the calendar if they object either directly or indirectly.

Al! I have to say is this. If a man wants to go out evening after evening by himself he has no business to get married. Marriage is for companionship as much as anything else. The burden of its success or failure should not be placed on the woman's shoulders alone. It rests a good bit with

the man. He should see to it that she is kept contented and happy, just as she sees to it that his house is run in good order.

It is naturally there is no room for selfishness either on the man or the woman's part.

Making home happy should certainly not be a one-sided affair.

The Beauty of Simplicity.

What dreams the new satin evening gowns are with their long, classical lines and clinging, trailing skirts! There was one at the theater the other night of pale turquoise blue, and it was guileless of any trimming save a narrow band fringe of silver. The cut and the draping, were the secret of the gown's success.

While I am speaking on the clothes question I want to impress on you the beauty of simplicity, especially when you can't afford really handsome and rich things.

Take the matter of fancy waists, for example. How I hate the elaborate waist made of cheap net and cheaper lace one sees universally exploited in the shop windows! As a matter of fact, no women of refinement wear one of them, but this is what she does have.

You know, of course, that charming net with a square mesh-net, it is called. Well, you know no more what dainty blouses it makes, and, let me tell you, it is the very latest thing.

A friend recently showed me one which was sent her from a sister who, she said, was a very good-looking woman.

What a lovely blouse! It was made of a very fine net, and it was very pretty. I was very much interested in it.

The front of it was full in six half-inch tucks. The net was in fact under three inches of Valenciennes laid out flat and washed off each with three tiny gold buttons. The net collar also had a row of gold in the shape of a small chain, while the three-quarter sleeves were charmingly finished with wide cuffs, also outlined with the tiny gold buttons.

Now, could anything be simpler or at the same time daintier?

By the way, even lace and nets are rather on the wane just now. There is a deep partiality being shown for pure white.

I have seen a good many overskirts, but in most cases they have been rather pretty than otherwise because a harder material was used. It is a mistake to suppose that only tall women can wear overskirts. Every woman can if the right proportion is observed, and that is where the value of a good dressmaker comes in. She studies the proportions of her clients and doesn't make the mistake of a single inch because the brows that inch may make or mar the entire effect of a costume.

Another man has something to say. "Women are marrying later in life," he says.

Well, my dear sir, I, for one, don't deplore it! Women need all the sense and all the experience they can get before marrying to the altar.

A Grave Mistake.

I wish people could be stopped from writing articles on how to go to Europe on next to nothing and that sort of foolishness.

A lot of women save their pennies and go to Europe only to get "stuck" there for lack of proper means.

Therefore, you can't have a good time abroad if you have to be skimming for cheap rates all the time. You would be waiting.

Let me tell you, if you have a good time abroad, it is not because you are poor. It is because you are smart.

The smart set of the place. Sometimes a woman may live there a year and no one will pay any attention to her. If she brings letters of introduction she may receive a formal call, but I have even known of cases where the letters were positively ignored.

Money the Sesame.

Money is the great open sesame. With it you may lack all the qualities, including good breeding, and you are all right. Without it you might as well give up. Foreigners are supposed to love American women for their

money, but that is not always true. If this woman is charming or better still, talented, they like her for her own sake, and I have known women to be received in the best set abroad when their own native land ignored them.

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Hate Clyde

New York



A BEAUTIFUL RUSSIAN WOMAN.

Countess Orloff Davidson, wife of the secretary of the Russian Legation in England, is reported to be the most beautiful Russian ever seen in Great Britain. She is the daughter of M. de St. I., the former brilliant representative of the Muscovite government at the court of St. James, and is very accomplished.



IN QUEEN LOUISE COSTUME.

The beautiful woman shown here in the costume worn by Queen Louise in the well-known painting is Mrs. Cecil Powers, a prominent member of the London smart set. Mrs. Powers has been painted by several of the world's greatest artists, and at every new academy exhibition her portrait is one of the leading attractions.

Table with 4 columns: Southern Div., Western Div., SUNDAY TRAINS, and SUNDAY TRAINS. It lists train schedules and fares for various destinations.

**ON SCHOOL PLANS**  
Contractors Figuring at Builders' Exchange

**TENEMENT BLOCK FOR SALEM ST.**

**New Industry Started in This City**

The plans for the new Highland school and Centralville fire house are at the rooms of the Builders' exchange...

The Dempsey estate contemplates the erection of a 12 tenement block in Salem street.

Dr. Hilton is installing a modern heating plant for the Mazdaian Temple. From the printed accounts of some of their services a heating plant would appear unnecessary.

Paul Vigeant, through E. G. Russell, has sold to Ephraim Pelletier two tenement houses aggregating 17 tenements and 7000 feet of land at 24-32 Decatur street...

**REAL ESTATE**

**TRANSACTIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 15, 1908.**

**LOWELL.**  
Francis Abodey to Fred G. McGreggor land and buildings on Queen street, \$1.

Walter H. Hutchins to Viola C. Kinney, land and buildings, corner Humphrey and Eighteenth streets, \$1.

Lizzie McClean Carney, et al., to James T. O'Mahavey, land on Plymouth street and Colonial avenue, \$1.

James T. O'Mahavey to Mary O'Mahavey, land corner Plymouth street and Colonial avenue, \$1.

John W. Robbins to Gertrude E. Whitte, land on Pine street, \$1.

Paul Vigeant to Ephraim Pelletier, land and buildings on Decatur street, \$1.

Charles A. Rodgett's estate to Frank E. McNabb, several lots, \$1000.

Frank E. McNabb to James F. Sullivan, several lots, \$1.

Warren A. Sieberne to Charles W. Watson, land on Middlesex canal, \$1.

William Henry Seymour, et al., to Sherman C. Day, et al., land and buildings on Midland street, \$1.

Henry W. Ashton, et al., to James Shaw, et al., land and buildings on Burnside street, \$1.

Edward H. Watson, et al., to George B. Watson, land on Middlesex canal, \$1.

Edward H. Watson, et al., to Robert S. Watson, land and buildings on Hudson and Lawrence streets and Lakeview avenue, \$1.

Jacques Bolvert to William Parent, land on Bradlee street, \$1.

Jacques Bolvert to Agnes Pouliot, land on Bradlee street, \$1.

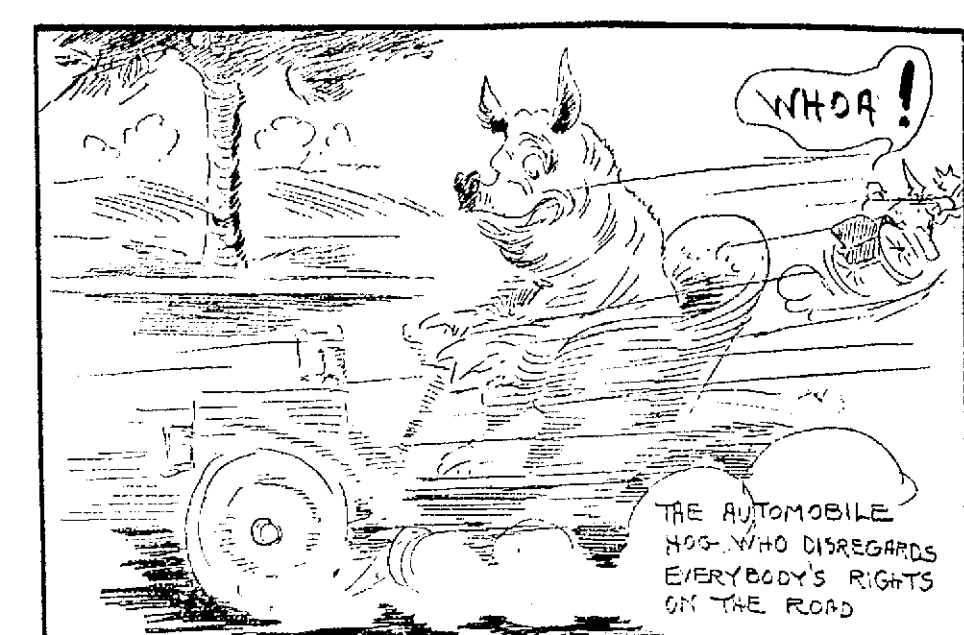
Hannah Kenney to Mary Kenney, land and buildings on Oak street, \$1.

Edgar P. Sellow of Walter A. Hanson, land at Riverside, \$1.

**CHELMSFORD.**  
Emma E. Proctor, et al., to Frank P. Brown, land on Westford road, \$1.

Percy Parker to County of Middlesex, land on Princeton street, \$1.

Estelle K. Perlman to Lillie E. Watt, land on Evergreen street, \$1.



THE HOG IN THE ROAD AND THE HAVOC HE SOMETIMES CAUSES

Shaw, land near Willow Dale avenue, \$1.

**WESTFORD.**  
J. G. Abbott's trustee to C. A. Blodgett, et al., land on Millstone road, \$1.

**WILMINGTON.**  
J. Sheldon Sargent to Laura Spencer Hale, land on Parker street, \$1.

Laura Spencer Hale to Charles V. Blaisdell, land on Parker street, \$1.

**DRACUT.**  
Elwyn W. Lovejoy, et al., trustee, to Frank O. Stafford, land at Elmside, \$1.

Minnie E. Crawford to Esther Crawford Wilder, land corner Parker and School streets, \$1.

Esther Crawford Wilder to Minnie E. Crawford, land east of Parker avenue, \$1.

Frank Sevesque to Pierre Javesque, land at Lakeview Terrace, \$1.

**TEWKSBURY.**  
William H. Adell, trustee to Boniminto Pietro, et al., land at Oakland Park, \$1.

Arthur C. Thompson to John F. Coleman, Sorrell Field lot, \$1.

**TYNDSBORO.**  
Benjamin O. Bird to Lizzie M. Moody, land near Oak Mill road, \$1.

George H. Davis to Lizzie M. Moody, land and buildings on Oak road, \$1.

Henry W. Ashton, et al., to Harry Taylor, land near Willow Dale avenue, \$1.

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**BIG AUTO RACE**  
Fifty Entries in the Endurance Contest

**RUN AT HARTFORD TODAY**

**The Machines to Cover 174 Miles**

HARTFORD, May 16.—Many hundreds of persons, a large number of them enthusiasts in autoing, gathered near the Allyn house to witness the start of the 174 miles endurance contest under the direction of the Automobile club of Hartford.

There were fifty entries of all types of machines and the line stretched for several blocks, each driver in readiness to be called to the starting line. As the law prohibits racing over the state highways, this contest is not one of speed but of car efficiency, with numerous technical side issues of importance to makers of motor vehicles.

It is claimed for the contest that the entry list was the largest in the country and the conditions more exacting than any previously run. The course is of two rounds of 87 miles each over roads of every description, from a finely surfaced macadam highway, built by the state, to the neglected back road of the country district.

With courage-breaking hills in the mountain part of the state between Southington and Thomaston and "sloughs of despair" in sections which have not seen a road machine for a year.

The Southington mountain will probably be the undoing of many of the cars. The road which is entirely neglected, rises 800 feet in a distance of two miles and the descent on the other side is almost as precipitous. No cyclist has ever been known to ride up the mountain and automobilists seldom go over the road twice. Accidents innumerable have occurred on one side or the other. Another hard tussle for the machines is Talcott mountain between Farmington and Hartford.

The circuit is divided into six sections under a control station and the time each section may be covered is fixed by the committee so as to break the automobile law, which in effect limits the speed to twenty miles an hour by providing that a rate of speed for an eighth of a mile in excess of 26 miles an hour shall be deemed prima facie evidence of reckless driving.

Scoring on the run is by points, each car starting out with 1000 for a clean score. One point is deducted for each minute the car stops excepting in such instances where the rules allow a stop. A car arriving at a control ahead of the scheduled time for that point loses one point for each second of excess speed.

Each car carries an observer who on arriving at the control drops back one car.

The minimum time for covering one section is as follows: Start at Hartford, thence to Middlesex, 15 miles in 40 minutes; to Southington, 40 miles; to Waterbury, 15 miles, 30 minutes; to Bristol by way of Thomaston, 17 miles, 30 minutes; to Farmington, 14 miles, 40 minutes; to Hartford, 15 miles, 50 minutes; passing the starting point and continuing on the second round for a total distance of 174 miles which calls for a minimum time of 8 hours and 30 minutes.

The course puts a premium on careful driving as the cars go through the business sections of Hartford, Middletown, Meriden and Waterbury where there are railroad tracks to cross and trolley and other vehicular traffic to dodge. There are no local speed ordinances to bother the drivers but it remains to be seen if they get into the trouble by taking chances in reckless driving.

The committee in charge has made elaborate preparations for today's event and in the cities mentioned the streets over which the cars pass will be policed. In the country towns co-operation has been given the club in the way of flagging the course. The contesting cars follow a stream of confetti laid ahead of cars started.

While a majority of cars started represented Hartford manufacturers and owners there was a fair proportion of outsiders. Not all the drivers were professionals, for the novelty of the contest induced many private owners to start their cars under their own hand.

The first car was sent away at 7 o'clock and the others followed at two minute intervals. It is maintained in the schedule the first car will complete the entire course at 3:30 this afternoon and at any given point for several hours an automobile every two minutes may be expected to pass.

The number of spectators along the course is placed at scores of thousands for there is lively interest in the event in the cities through which the courses and autoists from all over the state, as well as Massachusetts are here to witness the start and finish.

**STAR THEATRE**  
Week May 15th—Eugene Sweet. LATEST MOVING PICTURES. NEWEST ILLUSTRATED SONGS. BEST VAUDEVILLE. Evenings, 7, 8 and 9. Afternoons, 2, 3 and 4. Seats, 5 Cents.

**THEATRE VOYONS**  
Today The Blue Bonnet. The Mysterious Photograph. A Mother's Crime.

"The Land Where My Father Died Is Good Enough For Me," and "Colorado," are the songs.

**LOWELL OPERA HOUSE**  
Proprietor—JULIUS CAHN—Manager. Supplementary Summer Season. Every Day—Mat. 2.15; Eve. 7.30. THE ACTOGRAPH CO.

Moving Pictures and Vaudeville. Entire Change of Program Monday. Prices: Orchestra and Balcony, 10c. Gallery, 5c.

**TUESDAY, MAY 19, ROBERT EDSON**  
—IN—  
**Classmates**

Direct from Hollis Street Theatre, Boston; four months, Hudson Theatre, New York City. Prices: 25c to \$1.50. Seats on sale.

**Circus Lowell June 3**

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Miss Annie Wilson, Fredericton, N. B. is visiting her father, Elias W. Wilson of 68 Appleton street. Miss Wilson is a student of the Fredericton Normal school.

**A NEW INDUSTRY.**  
Ralph Hayden has leased the property at the corner of Lincoln and Tanner streets for the manufacture of cement blocks to be known as the "Hayden block." He has established an office in Boston and already has several men at work. He has several orders ahead and expects to do considerable work at Chelsea.

In addition to the block machines and mixing machines, the very latest machinery will be put in for the manufacture of cement, sinks, wash trays, window sills, window caps and ornaments of all kinds. A pump will be installed for drawing water from Hale's brook.

Contracts will be taken for the building of houses from foundation to finish.

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**Heirs' Sale of Real Estate at Public Auction**  
THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1908, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.  
AT NO. 405 SCHOOL STREET, COR. SAWTELL PLACE.

I will sell in three parcels to settle the estate for the heirs of the late Mrs. Margaret O'Brien. The youngest heir having reached his 21st year. I have instructed Mr. Farrell, the auctioneer, to sell to the person who will bid the highest and comply with the conditions, a two and a half story house with store and tenement, No. 405 School street, corner of Sawtell place and tenement, Nos. 9 and 11 Sawtell place and all the stock and fixtures consisting of a full line of groceries, teas, coffees, flour, canned goods, spices, showcases, stoves, butter refrigerator, etc.

Lot 1 consists of a two and a half story house of nine rooms and a store building, No. 405 School street, corner of Sawtell place and contains 525 square feet of land, more or less, has a frontage on School street of 35 feet and 95 feet on Sawtell place; the first floor has a store and two living rooms with sheds attached, has five rooms on the second floor and two large, airy, well lighted attic rooms above, has city water, gas, water closets, and good sewerage. The rooms are high posted, well lighted, the property is in good repair and profitable business and is doing so now and would not think of selling but the estate must be sold and divided among the heirs. This property is a corner lot on a good street close to the many large mills and work shops where a good business has always been had and where the O'Brien family has made thousands of dollars. This sale does not want to be overlooked where a home and a good business can be had. Come and look this property over and see for yourself.

Lot 2 is a cottage house of six rooms and 1154 square feet of land, more or less, fronting on a 14-foot passage-way that leads off Sawtell place, and is to be over built upon. This cottage fronted for \$8 per month to the good tenants, has city water, good sewerage, the yards are all concreted, the building is in first class repair inside and out and is a snug home for some one.

Lot 3 is a cottage same as No. 2, has six rooms and 1223 square feet of land, more or less, rents for \$7 per month to good tenants, is never idle, has city water, good sewerage, all concreted, opens on a 14-foot passage-way, and is in a good repair inside and out. This property is never idle and for a first class investment property it would be hard to find its equal in Lowell. Don't let this opportunity go by without looking it over. The location, the business that is there, the many mills and work shops in the neighborhood of this property ought to find many buyers. The property can be seen at any time by calling at the store and I will be pleased to show you the three parcels.

Terms of sale: \$500 must be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale as soon as the property is struck off on No. 1, \$150 on No. 2 and No. 3 each. Stock in store will be cash.

Per Order. **MR. JOHN O'BRIEN,**  
Guardian for the Heirs.

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## NIGHT EDITION FOR DEFENDANT

## BUSINESS BETTER

## Merrimack Mills Start on Full Time June 1

Business is picking up. That seems to be the sentiment about town, and there seems to be foundation in fact for such sentiment.

It was stated today that the Merrimack mills would start on full time on June 1. That statement was not affirmed by the mill officials, neither was it denied. At other mills it was learned, indirectly, that conditions were improving and one mill agent made the statement that things were looking brighter but that no general expression of the fact would be made manifest during the summer months.

That the mills do not look upon the present situation as a lasting one is evidenced by the fact that new mills and storehouses are being erected and the bold statement was made today that orders which had been hanging fire since the ushering in of the semi-panic season were O. K'd, and that means something to Lowell.

The Massachusetts, Appleton and Best cotton mills are running on full time and the Tremont & Suffolk which

has been shut down for a week will resume operations next week.

Speaking of the outlook for woolen goods, the Cotton and Wool Reporter says: "Last week reports were favorable and have this week continued so, the only fault to be found, comparatively speaking, and taking into account the past six months, which for practical results in most cases might just as well have not lived, being that a fair volume of business has not been generously distributed. Orders have been received in volume sufficient to put certain mills very nearly into the sold-up class and others, so encouraged by the change in market tone, and because of actual business in hand, are making up for past idle machinery by overtime operation and increased production. Duplicate orders have this week been received in volume ahead of any preceding one, in cases have been entirely satisfactory, and will bring many weavers back to their looms."

## PAPER INQUIRY

## Testimony Will be all in Monday or Tuesday

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Representative Mann, chairman of the special house committee inquiring into the wood-pulp and paper question, said today that the taking of testimony probably would close Monday or Tuesday.

David S. Cowles, the paper manufacturer, resumed the stand today. He gave additional figures as to the cost of production of paper and the selling price at the mills.

"According to our figures," said Chairman Mann, "the cost of production per pound at the Lisbon paper mill in 1907 was \$0.1835 and the net selling price was \$0.1847, a difference of 12 ten thousandths of a cent. Is that all the profit you made?"

"Yes," responded the witness, "it was a bad year in paper."

Mr. Cowles said but very little of his paper was going abroad although prior to 1904 he had sold a great deal in England, Australia and New Zealand. Foreign competition was responsible for his getting out of the foreign field.

Mr. Cowles said he had no notion of any combination or agreement among paper manufacturers to fix a price for paper, nor did he know of any agreement not to compete in order to obtain the business of a paper company which had a contract with some other manufacturer.

Mr. Cowles said there was a concerted effort to break the paper market. He denied that his mills had shut

down in order to restrict the output. The witness said eventually he would go out of the paper business unless the price of paper went up. He added that he was opposed to placing wood pulp on the free list.

## THE SUNDAY LAW

## Liquor Dealers Ordered to Enforce It

The police board met in special session this morning and laid the law down to the liquor inspectors. The members of the board stated that there was nothing for publication outside of the fact that they summoned the inspectors to appear before them in order to impress on their minds that there must be an impartial and strict enforcement of the law on Sundays.

## BELMONT RACES

BELMONT PARK, N. Y., May 16.—First race: Zienape 112, Shilling 4 to 1, 7 to 5, 2 to 5, won; Gowan, Garner, 5 to 1, 3 to 5, 4 to 8, second; Fancy 198, E. Dugan 18 to 5, 7 to 5, 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:23 1-5. Pantouffe, Whip Top and Grace Cameron also ran.

## CEDRINO COMING

## Goes Over Auto Course This Afternoon

Cedrino, the cyclone Fiat racer, will arrive in Lowell this afternoon and will go over the course mapped out for the big auto race of July 4. Cedrino will leave Boston at 4:30 and will make his first stop at the club rooms of the Lowell Automobile rooms in the Associated building where he will meet President Heine and Vice President Corbin of the Lowell Automobile club and Secretary McKenna of the Lowell board of trade. The quarter after going over the course will lunch at the Vesper-Country club.

## T. ST. JOSEPH'S

Confirmation ceremony was held at St. Joseph's church this afternoon. The Archbishop William H. O'Connor and a half. All you have to do is, to finish the time. We supply everything else, including a chair to sit in, if you come early.

## Jury Finds For Joseph Jalbert in All Cases

## Jurors Remained Out All Night On Case—Court Will Come in Again on Tuesday Morning

The jury on the cases of Garghan, Perron, Cayer and O'Connor adjourned against Joseph Jalbert returned verdicts for the defendant in all four cases at 9:30 o'clock, this morning having been out since 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Judge King remained at the court house yesterday until 5 o'clock and when the jury did not return at that time he adjourned court until this morning at 9:30 o'clock, when Judge Frederick Lawton, who has resided in Boston during the winter, presided at this morning's session, which of course consisted of receiving the verdict and dismissing the jury.

## ALBERT W. DAVID

## Nominated to Board of Health by Mayor Farnham

Mayor Farnham has withdrawn the name of Dr. Taylor whose appointment

named in his stead, Albert W. David. There are those who question Mayor Farnham's right to withdraw Dr. Taylor's name, but the mayor allows that he is acting within the boundary of his premises.

In conversation with reporters this forenoon Mayor Farnham was free to confess that great pressure had been brought to bear in the interest of Mr. David. He said that business men had interested themselves in his behalf and a minister, a prominent member of the Law and Order league, the mayor said, spent an hour with his Honor yesterday and strongly advocated the appointment of Mr. David.

The latter, however, will be given but one chance and if he fails of confirmation the mayor will appoint Dr. Jones, his family physician.

The following communications relative to the matter are self explanatory: Lowell, Mass., May 15, 1908.

Gentlemen: On January 31, I sent you for confirmation the appointment of Dr. Charles W. Taylor as a member of the board of health. The question of the confirmation of the appointment of Dr. Taylor not having been acted upon by your honorable body, I hereby withdraw his appointment.

Respectfully yours,

Frederick W. Farnham, Mayor.



ALBERT W. DAVID.

the board of health was refused confirmation by the board of aldermen and has

## IS A PICKPOCKET

## Young Woman Under Arrest Said to Have Confessed

Florence Allen, a self-confessed pick-pocket, was arrested this morning in a hotel, and is now in the Lowell Jail. She was arrested by Inspector Maher, who was on duty at the hotel. She was found with a pocketbook containing money and jewelry. She confessed to the theft and is now being held for trial.

Whether the woman has given her name is not known. She is a young woman, about 20 years of age, and is a very neat appearing and pretty woman. According to the story told by the police she has spent the greater part of her life in Philadelphia, but recently returned to Lowell and then came to this city to seek a friend.

She says that yesterday she went to the Five and Ten store and stole

## THE THIRD DAY

Of the Pentecostal Church Assembly

PRAYER MEETING THIS MORNING

Reports Show An Increase in Membership

The third day of the first district assembly of the New England district of the Pentecostal church of the Nazarene opened at six o'clock this morning with preaching. At nine o'clock there was prayer meeting after which the business session was opened.

Reports from various churches were heard and the character of the pastors of the churches was passed upon. The reports showed that there is a steady increase in the membership and that the churches are in good financial condition.

Rev. E. E. Angell of North Scituate spoke on the Pentecostal collegiate institute, and Rev. Dr. P. E. Broder, general superintendent, of Los Angeles, Cal., read a report of the Deeds Bible college of Los Angeles.

At noon dinner was served at the Centralville Odd Fellows hall. Several addresses were given at the afternoon session and an open air service will be held tonight at 6:30 o'clock. The assembly will come to a close tomorrow night.

## WORK ON SEWERS

400 Men Will be Put to Work

Work on the Andover, Pawtucket and Ward street sewers was begun today and work on the Chelmsford, Endicott, Stevens street and Bells avenue will be begun on Tuesday.

Wednesday morning Supt. Morse expects to be able to start work on the Oakland and Wiggville sewers and he said today that he would be able to find employment for about 400 men.

## TARIFF INQUIRY

Sen. Aldrich's Measure Was Adopted

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Senator Aldrich today reported from the committee on finance a resolution authorizing the committee to secure certain assistance in pursuing tariff investigations and it was adopted by the senate without debate. The resolution provided:

"That the committee on finance is authorized in connection with investigations heretofore ordered by the senate with the view of promptly securing the information necessary for an intelligent revision of the customs laws of the United States to call to their assistance experts in the executive departments of the government and to employ such assistants as they shall require and they are especially directed to report what further legislation is necessary to secure equitable treatment for the agricultural and other products of the United States in foreign countries. They shall also in the consideration of changes of rates secure proof of the relative cost of production in this and in principal competing countries of the various products affected by the tariff upon which changes in rates of duty are desirable."

The committee will begin its investigations shortly after the adjournment of congress.

The resolution will make necessary the appointment of a tariff commission and the purpose is to prepare the way for general tariff legislation at the next session.

The resolution, it is stated, was drafted by Senator Beveridge, who introduced a tariff commission bill early in the session and contended for the employment of government experts. James J. Van Cleave, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, and H. E. Miles, chairman of the tariff committee of a number of organizations.

## CAPTAIN TAUSIG

TO BE PROMOTED TO REAR ADMIRAL

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The first of the nominations for the grade of rear admiral today sent to the senate for its consideration.

Captain to be rear admiral, Edward Tausig, brigadier-general to be major-general, George D. Elliot, to be collector of customs, Robert S. Bourne, general, district of Newport, R. I.

## CAPTAIN PEARY

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Captain Peary, decorated with the ribbon of the stars in the front of his uniform, today left for another trip in search of the north pole. He is unable to raise the necessary \$10,000 to make the trip, having been assured of only about one-third that amount. He said it would be necessary for him to have something like \$10,000 on an early date or he would not be able to leave on July 1.

## THE LOCAL POLICE

## Warned to be on the Lookout for Flim Flam Men

Supt. Moffatt of the police department drawing out the necessary amount

has received word to be on the lookout counts it out and gives the money to the

for a clever flim-flam artist who has been operating in the large cities. The messenger starts back to the store only to find that he has ten or twelve small bills. The flim-flam artist always manages to have one or two bills of big denomination and about twelve or fourteen small ones. In handling the money over to the messenger he manages to palm the big bills and give the messenger the small ones.

## TRIPLE MURDER

## Man, Wife and Servant Found Dead in House

## Baby Was Found Lying on the Floor—All the Victims Had Been Shot—Farmhand Had Predicted the Murders Two Weeks Ago

MATAWAN, N. J., May 16.—W. B. Sheppard, a farmer who lived about four miles south of Matawan, his wife, and a servant named Jennie Dendy, were found dead in the farmhouse today. It is believed they were murdered. The couple's baby was found lying on the floor.

Mr. Sheppard the murdered man, was a squab dealer and his place of business about four miles from the village of Matawan was called "The Royal Squab Farm." Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard were about thirty years of age and are said to have come to Matawan from New York state. Jennie Dendy, the servant, was a native of Maryland.

The murders were discovered by a Polish farmhand employed on a farm adjoining that of Mr. Sheppard. As soon as the authorities were notified, the farmhand was kept under surveillance. A strange feature in connection with this case is contained in a report that Mr. Sheppard told several of his friends a few days ago that the Pole has predicted that within two weeks two men would come to his farm and murder all the members of the household. The Pole is said to assert that he possesses some psychic power which enables him to forecast future events.

Sherriff Francis and Prosecutor Henry Nichols at once took up the work of tracing the murderers. Two blood hounds were secured from Atlantic Highlands and will be set at work in an effort to trace the criminals.

The shooting was evidently done with a shotgun. The body of Mr. Sheppard was found at the foot of the stairs in the front hallway where she had evidently gone in her night clothes for a bottle of milk which lay beside her. She had been shot in the right hip and one side of her heart was terribly torn by shot. Mr. Sheppard's body lay across that of his wife with wound in the side and neck. He was probably shot while coming down stairs. Jennie Dendy's body lay in the kitchen where she had been shot in the breast. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard, was found lying in her crib unharmed.

There was evidence that the house had been ransacked from top to bottom by the murderer or murderers. Drawers had been pulled out and contents scattered about the room. There had been considerable loss of money and valuables. The officers were of the opinion that the motive for the crime was robbery and not revenge as well. The police are now searching for a farmhand who worked for the Sheppards and who had been discharged about a week ago. A man answering the description of the fugitive farmhand, whose name is unknown, was seen on six o'clock this morning coming from the Sheppard place. He was carrying a bundle of a heavily wrapped package and was going in the direction of Marlboro.

It was reported that the body of a man, who was shot, was found in a small building near the house. He declared that he

## SPEAKER CANNON

Was Angered by House Members

WASHINGTON, May 16.—A lively fight occurred between Speaker Cannon and several members of the house today during the consideration of a bill to compensate government employees for injuries received in the government service.

Mr. Alexander (N. Y.) who offered the bill had the floor and his colleagues, Mr. Cannon, asked for a vote. The speaker then called the house to order. Mr. Cannon then asked the speaker to suspend the rules so that the bill could be brought up for consideration. Mr. Cannon then asked the speaker to suspend the rules so that the bill could be brought up for consideration.

## F. O. E. NOTICE

All members are requested to be present at the home of our late brother, Edward J. Sheppard, 31 Bond street, Lowell, Mass., on Friday evening, May 16, at 7:30 sharp. We will be exchanging the box office for the regular course of study. Between 7 and 8 o'clock Monday evening, May 17, we will be exchanging the box office for the regular course of study. Between 7 and 8 o'clock Monday evening, May 17, we will be exchanging the box office for the regular course of study.







# VOTED TO STRIKE FINE EXHIBITION

## Union Men Attacked Non-Union Men in Cleveland

CLEVELAND, May 16.—Cleveland's street car system was tied up at 4 a. m. today by an almost unanimous vote of the local union of the Amalgamated union of street and electric railroad employees. To reach this conclusion meetings were held last night beginning at 8 o'clock and lasting until 3 o'clock this morning. At the conclusion of the sessions, International Vice President Behner of the street car men's union said:

"The vote stands as an evidence of the feeling of our organization. Officially I could not declare a strike. I put it up to the men in meeting assembled and they agreed that the time to cease quibbling had arrived, therefore the strike is on. The cars will cease to run just as soon as we shall be able to get word to the various barns. The men feel that they have been discriminated against and take this means of emphasizing the fact."

Enthusiasm marked the sessions of the night. Approximately 1000 men voted, according to official statements. Only at rare intervals was a negative registered.

Variouly estimated between 300,000 and 400,000 patrons of the urban lines began this morning to seek a means of transportation. City officials, it was stated, had not made preparations to combat the situation. Union men, however, asserted that for two weeks President Dupont of the municipal railroad had begun negotiations for additional help. They claimed this assistance would be inefficient. Nominally the strike of the street car men declared today involves two thousand men.

The strike had its origin in the situation of the three-cent fare, the subject of political contention in Cleveland during several years past. Following the municipal election last November, the principal issue of which was the question of municipal control of traction companies and ultimate fare of three cents within the city limits, a consolidation of the street car lines came about. It then developed that the Cleveland electric railroad company, the major traction organization, had signed a contract with the Amalgamated association of street and electric railway employees whereby it was agreed that in the event of a continuation of their franchise or its equivalent, the conductors and government would receive a specified increase of two cents an hour and an adjustment of other minor alleged grievances.

The merger properties having been leased to the Municipal Traction company, the traction infant took the position that the contract was not binding upon them. The new company did, however, offer an increase of one cent an hour in the pay of the men to take effect April 25 upon which day the three-cent fare was put into operation. The new company also ordered that all employees should pay carfare when riding upon the company's cars while not at work. The propositions were not satisfactory to the employees and the strike followed. It is anticipated that there will be trouble at the barns if new men attempt to operate the cars. Whether the regular barn men and powerhouse employees will join in a sympathetic strike is not known.

A large crowd gathered at the Lakeview barns this morning when at attempt was made to start out several cars. Strike sympathizers attacked the non-union crews and a fight followed in which a score of men are supposed to have been clubbed. Chief of Police Kohler and a number of officers were rushed to the scene in autos and dispersed the crowd.

Chief Kohler was struck in the neck by a stone but was not seriously hurt.

## MUSICAL BALLET

By Miss Perrin's Pupils at Opera House

## GRAND COSTUMES AND EFFECTS

The Musical Features Were Also First Class

It was an entertainment of rare excellence that was presented at the Opera House last night by Miss L. Blanche Perrin under the title of a "Musical Ballet." It was given in aid of a local charity mainly by the pupils of Miss Perrin.

There were 23 numbers on the program and certainly it was astonishing what a variety of dances, evolutions and mazes were presented by the pupils in various costumes.

The Egyptian dance in which the dancers were gowned in green and carried long wreaths of lotus buds was very attractive. The dance of the enchanted poppies was another very striking feature. These were but typical of others on the program.

The swing song in which the young men of the cast swung the young women in swings at a dizzy height above the stage was fine.

Among the dances that deserve special mention were Miss Lillian McGuire in the Highland fling; Miss Annie Alax in the skirt dance; and Miss Mae George in her gypsy dance. All three won great applause and right well they deserved it.

George Carpenter made a hit in a vocal solo and others who won applause were: Mr. and Mrs. George McNamara, Miss Jennie Pierce Jackson, Miss Perrin gave a delightful solo.

The costumes and scenic effects were very beautiful and the whole entertainment was cast on such a grand scale that it was an agreeable surprise to everybody present.

## COL. JACKSON SPEAKS FOR BUSINESS MEN'S MERGER LEAGUE.

BOSTON, May 16.—At the state house yesterday Col. J. Jackson of Fall River, formerly chairman of the board of railroad commissioners, spoke at length in favor of permitting the New Haven company to hold the stock of the Boston and Maine road. Col. Jackson, who appeared at the hearing in behalf of the business men's merger league, stated that the organization was independent of any railroad and indifferent to any personal interest. He said that the problem was a grave one and must be met this year. The legislature should not punish the zeal of the New Haven road in buying trolley stocks but the recent decision makes it conclusive that the company cannot hold its Boston and Maine stock without special authority.

The Merrimack orchestra held its first social and dance at Town hall, Chelmsford Centre, Wednesday night, and it was a great success. A good attendance was enjoyed a dance over of 15 numbers.

## Have You a Summer Stove?

The stifling air of a close kitchen is changed to comfortable coolness by installing a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove to do the family cooking.

No kitchen furnishing is so convenient as this stove. Gives a working heat at once, and maintains it until turned out—that too, without overheating the room. If you examine the

## NEW PERFECTION Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

you will see why this is so. The heat from the chimney of the "New Perfection" is concentrated under the kettle and not dissipated through the room by radiation. Thus it does the work of the coal range without its discomfort. Ask your dealer about this stove—if not with him, write our nearest agency.

The **Rayo Lamp** is a very handsome piece of housefurnishing and gives a clear, powerful light more agreeable than gas or electricity. Safe everywhere and always. Made of brass finely nickel plated—just the thing for the living-room. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

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REV. DENNIS A. SULLIVAN.

## Given by the O. M. I. Cadets in Associate Hall

When it comes to doing the soldier "stunt" you can bank on the O. M. I. Cadets every time.

The second battalion of the Cadets gave an exhibition and promenade in Associate hall last night and the floor and galleries were crowded with the admirers of the young soldiers. The hall was decorated with red, white and blue streamers and the stage was banked with palms. Because the floor space would not allow the entire force of Cadets to drill at one time, it was necessary to cut the companies to 35 men each, so that about 140 youngsters marched on to the floor to the applause of the delighted audience. Major Russell Harrington was in command and under his guidance and orders the boys drilled in a manner that surprised even the old military men, many of whom were present. The battalion work was grand and at its conclusion Capt. Paul Clark led Company B, the crack aggregation of the regiment, through the different military movements. Some of the other companies may dispute Company B's claim, but if there is any better company in the regiment it certainly must be a wonder and able to cope with any of the local military companies. The boys of Company B were especially clever in the manual of arms. The great treat of the evening

and spoke words of praise for all the cadets.

It was the second medal that Corporal Egan won in competition. Those who took part in the drill were: Leo Morris, George Stowell, James McCarlin and John Egan, of Company B; Joseph Taft, John Brennan and Charles Sheehan, of Company A; Fred McAlister, William McQuade and Wm. O'Loughlin, of Company D; and John Moynihan and James McCarlin, of Company C.

Following the drill there was dancing. Kitzredge's orchestra furnishing the music. The officers were: General manager, Bernard J. McArdle; assistant general manager, William Harrington; floor director, William J. Fahey; assistant floor director, Joseph F. McManimon; chief aid, William Kenebeck; aids, James McNulty, James Kelley, John Tansey, Anthony Doyle, Frank McCarlin, James Taft, Wm. O'Meara, Chas. Burns, John McCaffrey, Andrew Doyle, Mr. O'Keefe, Wm. Marren, John Cole, Paul McOsker.

Reception committee, James Burns, chairman, Major B. Harrington, Capt. P. Clark, Capt. Geo. O'Connor, Capt. James McManimon, Capt. Thomas Clark, Lieut. Frank Haggerty, Lieut. Joseph Calnan, Lieut. Edward Carney, Wm. P. Kelley, George O'Meara, Lieut. Jas. Mulvaney, Lieut. Chas. Farrell, Lieut. James Connel, Lieut. Joe. McGarvey, Lieut. John Richards, Lieut. Edw. Curtin, Frank McKenna, Joe Clarke, Jas. Powers, John Clarke, Wm. King.

Rev. Fr. Sullivan, O. M. I. who organized the Cadets and is the leading spirit in the organization is to be congratulated on the work he has done among the boys of the parish. It is no easy task to get the boys together and keep them together as Fr. Sullivan has done. Besides the military organization he has formed baseball, basketball and football teams and he has also interested the boys in all kinds of athletic sports. Nor is this all, for he has organized a sanctuary choir that takes part in the services at the Immaculate Conception church and has also concerned himself about the education of the youth. The result is that the boys are loyal to him to a "man" and whatever Fr. Sullivan says is accepted by them as law.

For this summer Fr. Sullivan has arranged for an outing for the Cadets. The entire complement of soldiers will go to Tewksbury where the Oblate Fathers have a considerable tract of land and here they will encamp for two days, sleeping under tents. The boys will have khaki and blue uniforms and will be former into opposing armies and a sham battle will be fought. The ambulance corps will be on hand to remove the "wounded" and care for the "wounded" and the umpires will decide the winner of the fight. It will be great fun and the boys all realize it, so they are already bustling to get things in shape for the field day. On this occasion there will be visiting hours when the friends of the Cadets will be privileged to visit the camp. On the side, there will be baseball games and foot races to entertain the boys.

And now about every lad in Belvidere is wishing he were a Cadet.

The roster of the battalion is as follows:

Major, Russell Harrington; adjutant, Charles Farrell; sergeant major, Joseph Kelley; major's orderly, Gerald Donnelly; Company A, captain, J. McManimon; 1st lieutenant, Joseph Mulvaney; 2nd lieutenant, John Richards; Company B, captain, Paul Clark; 1st lieutenant, Joseph McGarvey; 2nd lieutenant, Frank Haggerty; Company C, captain, Thomas Clark; 1st lieutenant, Edward Carney; 2nd lieutenant, James Connel; Company D, captain, John Richards; 1st lieutenant, James Connel; 2nd lieutenant, Joseph Calnan.

Tickets for the retail grocers' banquet may be had of the clerk of the association, John McCullough, corner Andrew and Fayette streets, James McGarvey's market, Merrimack square, George's market, Chelmsford street; Fitzpatrick's market, Westford street and S. M. Bowers' grocery, W. 6th street.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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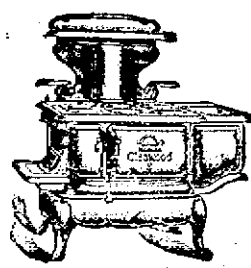
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# More Time for Other Things



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## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"How is it possible to give a performance of the length and quality for the prices?"

is the universal comment of those who attend the performances now being given at the Opera House by the Aerograph Co.

The bill for today is headed by Crouch & Roberts, musical artists whose work is a genuine treat and wins unstinted praise from the audience. Ward & Harrington, Irish comedians are making a big hit and keep the audience in roars of laughter with a flow of witty sayings.

Pauline Sherson does a neat singing turn and Douglas Robertson in illustrated melodrama is one of the hits of the bill. The pictures shown are of the latest and consist of a large variety of subjects. Performances are given every afternoon and evening and the prices are only 50 cents and 100.

Monday afternoon there will be an entire change of program.

Next week an exceedingly strong bill will be offered. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday the following vaudeville acts will be seen: "The Levy Family," in a musical act that is superior to anything in its line. Barney Gallagher, comedian and eccentric dancer, and Kenyon and Healy, comedians.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Wilson and Warner, novelty comedians. The Sibbers, artists of exceptional ability, and Bob Kelley, the unbeatable American whose only rival is Ernest Hogan. The price of all seats will be five and ten cents.

## ROBERT EDESON.

The attraction at the Opera House, May 19, will be Robert Edeson, who will be presented by Henry B. Harris in his latest success, "Classmates."

The play of West Point life by William C. de Mille and Margaret Turnbull, which has just concluded a four months' engagement at the Hudson theatre in New York. "Classmates," as its name indicates, is the story of a number of young men who are classmates at the national military school at West Point.

Mr. Edeson plays Duncan Irving, a senior cadet from South Carolina. The production has been staged in a sumptuous manner and great care and attention has been paid to all detail.

Mr. Edeson's company includes many of the players who were associated with him in "Strongheart," his previous success. His leading lady is Paulina Anthony. Others in the cast are Marjorie Wood, Maud Granger, Wallace Edinger, Sidney Almsworth, Frank McIntyre and George W. Barnum.

The sent sale for the engagement of "Classmates" opens.

## HATHAWAY'S THEATRE

"For Fair Virginia," the bill to be presented at Hathaway's theatre, next week, has the reputation of having practically colored money for every manager who has ever produced it. In that sense, if in no other, it differs widely from about all of the plays ever put on by stock companies. Contrary to expectations the piece is not

punctured with the shots of opposing armies, but it relies, rather, upon the tensivity of its dramatic situations and the entirely wholesome and agreeable plot.

To be sure there are martial figures enough in it, and uniformity of talk of war, but very little of actual combat appears in it. It requires no battle scenes like "Shenandoah," and no spy situations like "Secret Service." It is all a most probable story, admirably told and it will be mounted with much attention to the accuracy of the detail.

Mr. Saunders, the stage director, has lavished much time upon the mounting of the piece, while Mrs. Boyer has not spared money in giving him the things to do with. All in all it should prove the most interesting offering of the company.

Miss Winslow will be admirably cast in the part of a young woman who is forced to adopt various disguises.

Mr. Edson will come into his own at last. For two weeks he has been but poorly fitted with parts. Next week he will be seen as a Confederate officer who does some interesting stunts and who captures the heart of the leading woman in the story.

There are several very good parts in the play, particularly good being those allotted to Mr. Daly, Mr. Beldin and Mr. Dunn.

Performances will be given every night during the week, and on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

## STAR THEATRE

Eugene Sweet, monologist, is to be the feature act for the week of May 19th. Mr. Sweet, always becomes a great favorite with his audiences and particularly with the ladies. He has a monologue in French dialect that never fails to draw a laugh from anyone who can laugh. His "Whispering Jim" is always a great success. The new songs for the week have never been heard in Lowell as illustrated songs.

Miss Brothers, latest productions in moving pictures, will be seen and three changes made during the week.

## THE PASTIME.

All lovers of good singing are advised to hear the songs now being sung at the Pastime. Mrs. Nichols is doing herself proud and adding to her well deserved laurels by her clever rendition of that great ballad, "As Long as the World Rolls On." As a fitting companion to this great song we have been able to secure another of the hits of the day, "Give Me an American Girl," and as it is rendered by Mr. Buswell it well deserves the generous applause of the audience.

## CHELMSFORD

Mrs. Napoleon Lovely has a chicken with four legs. Unfortunately she doesn't run a boarding house.

Paul Pratt bruised his ankle by the breaking of a whistle tree while ploughing, Thursday.

## THE MERRY WIDOW.



I am a merry widow  
As you can plainly see,  
My dress is quite decollete  
For I'm from "Africke."  
Husbands eight all met their fate  
And now for more I pine,  
Went you please come  
And change the sum,  
From number eight to nine.

## MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Harry S. Fuller, 22, millman, Chelmsford, Mass., and Esther D. Johnson, 18, suspender factory, 60 Plain street. Joseph Dulka, 23, laborer, 22 Davidson street, and Michalina Czaplanska, 22 Davidson street.

Miss Katharine McCranu will leave this city next week and make her quarters in Hotel Pleasanton, Revere beach, where she has been for several summers.

Mr. Edward Kelley of Westworth avenue has gone to Buffalo, N. Y., where he will be the guest of his daughter, Mrs. John Harlan.

## One of the Important Duties of Physicians and the Well-Informed of the World

is to learn as to the relative standing and reliability of the leading manufacturers of medicinal agents, as the most eminent physicians are the most careful as to the uniform quality and perfect purity of remedies prescribed by them, and it is well known to physicians and the Well-Informed generally that the California Fig Syrup Co., by reason of its correct methods and perfect equipment and the ethical character of its product has attained to the high standing in scientific and commercial circles which is accorded to successful and reliable houses only, and, therefore, that the name of the Company has become a guarantee of the excellence of its remedy.

## TRUTH AND QUALITY

appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the approval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

This valuable remedy has been long and favorably known under the name of—Syrup of Figs—and has attained to world-wide acceptance as the most excellent of family laxatives, and as its pure laxative principles, obtained from Senna, are well known to physicians and the Well-Informed of the world to be the best of natural laxatives, we have adopted the more elaborate name of—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as more fully descriptive of the remedy, but doubtless it will always be called for by the shorter name of Syrup of Figs—and to get its beneficial effects always note, when purchasing, the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package, whether you simply call for—Syrup of Figs—or by the full name—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—is the one laxative remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., and the same heretofore known by the name—Syrup of Figs—which has given satisfaction to millions. The genuine is for sale by all leading druggists throughout the United States in original packages of one size only, the regular price of which is fifty cents per bottle.

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# A LOADED PISTOL STATE CONFIDENT ARCHBISHOP O'CONNELL

## Was Sent to State Treasurer by That Lamphere, Murder Suspect, Will be Convicted

BOSTON, May 16.—How would you as a business man like to have an expressman come into your office, lay a loaded revolver on your desk and calmly inquire in a matter-of-fact way, "Will you sign for this?" Wouldn't that jar your nerves some?

State Treas. Arthur D. Chapin knows how it feels and maybe if you know him well you can induce him to speak from actual experience. It wasn't that the expressman or the man who forwarded the pistol had any design on Mr. Chapin. O. no, each was doing his duty as he saw it. Mr. Chapin got rid of the weapon in 30 seconds elapsed time, which act was his duty as he saw it.

Perhaps the whole office of the state treasurer and receiver general wasn't just a trifle jarred along with his head and chief executive officer. Well, just think of a Texan cowpuncher walking into a Sunday school and threatening to "shoot up things" and you'll get an idea how Mr. Chapin's office force probably felt.

SENT FROM LOWELL.

Now the amendment of this year states that "whenever a person is convicted of carrying a loaded pistol or revolver or other weapon or article contrary to the provisions of the statutes, such articles carried by him shall be confiscated to the use of the commonwealth."

Now what do you think that means? Down in Lowell, where a man was arrested on May 4 for carrying a loaded revolver, the police court officials confiscated the weapon. All well and good so far.

Now how about conserving it to the "use of the commonwealth?" The Lowell officials evidently thought the state treasurer was the man to make it of "use to the commonwealth," and so they prepared the necessary documents or warrants, and carefully placing the loaded gun in a suitable receptacle, sent it along to Mr. Chapin.

A letter was received notifying the state treasurer's office of what it might expect and pretty soon in came the expressman with the goods. There was no mistaking the character of the bundle, as it was duly labeled.

"Great Scott! Be careful young man," admonished the man at the door when he caught a glimpse of the expressman and his "freight."

"Is that the gun from Lowell?" anxiously inquired another clerk. His agitation seemed simultaneously to infect the whole office. Even the expressman grew pale.

"What am I going to do with it?" said the man in jumpers. "Don't belong to me, my orders are to deliver it."

The chief clerk was first to see a way out of the dilemma. "We'll put it up to Mr. Chapin," he said.

STATE POLICE TOOK IT.

The expressman looked some relieved. All he wanted was somebody to "sign for it." The doors leading to the private office of Mr. Chapin were thrown open. The typewriters were ordered stopped that there might be no jarring of the building. Somebody wanted to call off the debaters in the senate to make doubly sure the precautions against vibration.

"En? What's that?" exclaimed the much surprised state treasurer and receiver general. "Not much; send for the state police."

Up came a couple of strong men from the state police headquarters in the basement of the state house. In a time the situation was laid before them.

"We'll take it and gladly," they chorused, both reaching for the revolver.

"Not so fast," commanded Mr. Chapin. "Take it easy and take it out of here. And his done."

Mr. Chapin bent for his stenographer. He then dictated a letter which was addressed to the police court official.

Household Worries

There is Not the Slightest Need for Some of Them Existing in Lowell

The average mother finds sufficient annoyance and worry performing the ordinary duties in the rearing of a family, but the cares and anxiety are doubled when there is added to ordinary conditions that of weakened kidneys in a juvenile member of the family. How to cure it should be of untold value to Lowell mothers. Read this:

Mrs. J. E. Haven, formerly of 425 Dutton street, Lowell, Mass., says: "I gave a statement recommending Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago, telling what great benefit one of my sons had found from their use. He had been troubled with a weakness of the bladder. I was told of Doan's Kidney Pills by a friend and I got a box at Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store. From the relief obtained they proved to be deserving of everything said in their favor. I can now say what I could not in my first statement, and that is that the cure has been permanent. I consider it a blessing to mothers who have children suffering from this annoying trouble to know what to do to effect a cure. My advice is, use Doan's Kidney Pills for they can be depended upon."

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als at Lowell. In the course of it he wrote: "I find nothing in the law that requires the treasury department to receive such property and wish to notify you that it is the custom of this department to receive cash and that the said revolver is in the hands of the district police."

Mr. Chapin thinks that if other courts throughout the state place the same construction on the amended statute he will soon have a young arsenal or full-fledged junk shop on his hands. For that reason he will use his efforts to have the legislature amend the law again, that all confiscated weapons may go direct to the state police. It is very likely that such will be the case.

"We want no confiscated weapons here," said the state treasurer to a reporter, "but we will promptly and at any time take the equivalent in real money."

LOCAL DENIAL MADE.

The Lowell officers say they removed the shells. Clerk Trull has written the state treasurer stating that the law makes that official the proper person to receive articles so confiscated.

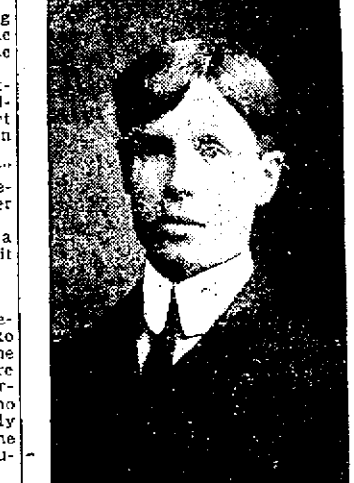
40 COMPANIES Will Take Part in Field Day Here

3000 MEN IN THE PARADE

Fifteen Bands Will Furnish the Music

Forty companies will take part in the field day of the French Volunteer brigade, to be held in this city on July 4th. These companies will come from all over New England and there will be three thousand uniformed men in line. Fifteen bands will furnish the music.

music and the demonstration promises to be the finest ever held in this city. The local company of the brigade which invited the others to hold the annual field day in Lowell, was organized one year ago and took part in the "Night before" celebration in Centralville last year, winning first prize. Albert Bergeron, secretary of the local company, is hustling along the arrangements for the day and is receiving encouragement from the leading French-Americans of the city. The visitors will remain in this city two days and on Sunday there will be special services in all the French Catholic churches.



ALBERT BERGERON.

REPORT OF DEATHS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 16, 1908.

May. 6—Henrietta M. McVicker, 34, apoplexy. 6—Cyrus Burdett, 64, gall stones. Ellen Gordon, 58, old age. Mary McCarthy, 6, diphtheria fever. Victoria Bellemare, 43, disease of heart. George Beaudou, 2 mos., gastro enteritis. Mary Lolas, 21, salivagitis. Ann Holland, 5, ear, hemorrhages. Emma M. Levesque, 33, pneumonia. Edward L. Martin, 19 days, convulsions. 11—Lovena Winters, 12, leprosy. Daniel Donahue, 56, gangrene. Mary E. Marston, 20, cancer. Katherine B. Butler, 21, pneumonia. Helen J. Chavert, 2 mos., tuber. ovary. Mary T. Laro, 30, old age. Henry A. Adams, 30, pneumonia. 12—Louis A. Bonneau, 30, pneumonia. Mildred G. Taylor, 6, cancer. Margaret McGovern, 30, scurvy. Mary Maynard, 30, cancer. Timothy Murphy, 2, ear, spinal meningitis. Joseph A. N. Bertrand, 3 mos., meningitis. Katherine Lolas, 2 mos., enteritis. Annie K. Weston, 57, scurvy. Pierre Gendron, 31, heart disease. Margaret E. Whaley, 50, cholera. Christopher Levesque, 30, epilepsy. 13—Elizabeth Starr, 30, phthisis. Nora Barrows, 2, convulsions. GIRARD P. DABMAN, City Clerk.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 16.—The burial last night of Andrew K. Helgelein marks the beginning of the final stage in the Guinness farm mysteries so far as human knowledge is concerned. Two more corpses, supposed to have been those of Helen Olson and Ole O. Budsherg, have been partially identified but as to the identity of the remaining cadavers, no promise of a clue exists. The relics taken from the death farm such as watches and rings may ultimately lead to the determination that some certain missing individual was caught in the Guinness trap, but this will give almost no aid in identifying any particular body. Yesterday witnessed two consecutive developments. One by the dentist who bridged Mrs. Guinness' lower jaw with artificial teeth established that the piece of jawbone found in the ruins was from her skull. The other subscribed to by three experts showed that the first body taken from the barnyard of the farm was that of Andrew Helgelein.

The reality of these conclusions leaves few major matters which are capable of solution to be brought to light.

The state insists that it has positive evidence against Roy Lamphere and the defense has positively stated that the prisoner cannot be proven guilty of having set fire to the house or of having assisted in the murder of Helgelein. The grand jury, it is announced, will begin to investigate the evidence gathered by Sheriff Smulzer and Prosecutor Smith on Monday. Of late the developments have been negative in their nature.

The identification of yesterday were exceptions only to a rule which bids fair to become more general each day. The widespread interest which the whole affair has created is evidenced by the amount of press matter that has been handled. Over a score of special writers have been here and investigation shows that they have sent out by telegraph, telephone and mail close to one million words of reading matter in the last seven days.

ATTORNEY SMITH SAYS THAT MRS. GUNNESS IS NOT ALIVE.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 16.—Identification of the piece of jawbone taken from the ruins of the Guinness farm-house as a portion of Mrs. Guinness' skull bears out most conclusively the contents of the state regarding the identity of the bodies found in the cellar on April 28. It is the clinching bit of evidence, which should set at rest the rumors that Mrs. Guinness had escaped.

This statement was made by Ralph N. Smith, prosecuting attorney, last night. It followed a report from Dr. C. H. Norton, a dentist, who found that the piece of jawbone presented characteristics which he had observed while working on her teeth. Only two natural teeth, a cuspid on each side on the lower jaw, had remained in the woman's mouth and the piece of bone found Thursday shows that all the teeth except the cuspid had been extracted from the jaw of the skull to which it belonged.

The first of the Guinness victims to be buried with Christian rites was buried by lantern light last night in a cemetery on the outskirts of Laporte. The corpse was that of Andrew K. Helgelein of Mansfield, S. D., the last man to meet his death in the trap to which Mrs. Guinness lured her victims.



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The body was released for burial last evening after Coroner Mack had received the reports of Pearson experts who have examined it and compared findings with figures taken from the records of the Minnesota penitentiary at Stillwater. Two officials of the Michigan city prison performed the work Thursday and Edward A. Evans of the Chicago police identification bureau, did similar work yesterday. Both reports were to the effect that it was the body of Helgelein.

The search of the Guinness farm yesterday revealed little of importance. The screening of the bones produced several additional bits of bone, but none of them of sufficient size or well enough preserved to furnish proof of their origin.

Some relics showing that Mrs. Guinness had made a study of surgery were picked up. Stained leaves of books on which sufficient print remained to show that the books were devoted to anatomy, were found. Another ruined book was a treatise on hypnotism.

MEMORIAL MASS For Sister Mary Gabriel Monday Morning

The month's mind mass for the repose of the soul of the late Sister Mary Gabriel will be celebrated on Monday morning in St. Patrick's church. The mass will be celebrated by the clergymen connected with the parish. It was the desire of the committee to have past pupils of the famed nun that have joined the priesthood to officiate at the mass, but all of them are stationed out of town and it may be impossible for them to attend.

Sister Mary Gabriel labored amongst the people of St. Patrick's parish for twenty years and accomplished a great deal. She labored early and late preparing the boys and girls of the parish to receive their first holy communion and confirmation.

The music for the mass will be furnished by the church and the sanctuary choir. Prof. Michael J. Johnson, the organist and a former pupil of Sister Mary Gabriel, has arranged a fine musical program for the mass. We regret that a touching tribute to the late sister is held over for lack of space.

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Will Attend Service at St. Peter's Tomorrow Morning—Rev. John Callahan Transferred to St. Eulalia's Chapel at City Point, South Boston—Other Catholic Notes of Interest

Most Rev. William H. O'Connell, archbishop of Boston will arrive in this city today and will remain here until Monday evening when he will go to Burlington, Vt., to preside over a meeting of the permanent rectors of the Vermont diocese, reference to which is made in another column. While in Lowell His Grace will be the guest of Rev. Michael Roman, of St. Peter's church and special services in his honor will be held at 10:30 o'clock when solemn high mass will be sung and a sermon will be preached by Rev. Fr. Roman. During the service Archbishop O'Connell will occupy a throne especially erected for the occasion and one of the most beautiful ever seen in Lowell. It is surrounded by a canopy of scarlet velvet lined with white satin. The throne is 8 feet high to the top of the canopy and was constructed by J. S. Hastings, the well known decorator. This afternoon at 2 o'clock Archbishop O'Connell administered confirmation to the children of St. Joseph's parish and after that service he proceeded to St. Peter's rectory. Tomorrow afternoon at 6 o'clock the archbishop will administer confirmation at St. John's church, North Chelmsford and tomorrow evening will return to St. Peter's where confirmation will be given. On Monday morning His Grace will administer the sacrament to the children of the Sacred Heart parish.

FR. CALLAHAN TRANSFERRED. The parishioners of St. Patrick's parish will be surprised and not a little disappointed to learn that Rev. John Callahan, the popular curate, of that church, has been transferred to St. Eulalia's chapel, at City Point, South Boston, and his successor has not been appointed. The transfer of Fr. Callahan to St. Eulalia's indicates that Archbishop O'Connell has started to carry out his policy of dividing some of the larger parishes for up to date St. Eulalia's has been a part of the great Gate of Heaven parish, which included all of City Point and upper South Boston, the pastor of which is Rev. Robert J. Johnson, a former Lowell boy and a relative of Dr. Stephen J. Johnson and Prof. Michael J. Johnson. St. Eulalia's chapel is located at the corner of Broadway and O streets. In one of the most beautiful parts of South Boston. It is only a few hundred yards from picturesque Marine park, and the seashore on one side and Independence square on the other. Standing at the entrance one can see only a short distance away the big statue of Admiral Farragut on Marine park.

Fr. Callahan came to Lowell a few years ago where his brother, Rev. Timothy Callahan, preceded him by several years and he soon impressed the parishioners by his zeal and hard work. He did much to build up the Holy Name society of the church and was an indefatigable worker. He has the best wishes of the entire parish for success in his new field. Judge Fallon of the municipal court is a prominent member of St. Eulalia's parish and Miss Fallon is the organist.

REV. J. V. ROSA, Pastor Portuguese Catholic Church.

The parish will probably sell the old church as it will no longer need it and the proceeds of the sale will assist in reducing the debt on the new church and house.

CHILDREN OF MARY. The Children of Mary sodality of the Sacred Heart church held a meeting in the school hall to make arrangements for the banquet of the sodality on Thursday evening, May 21.

The committee on the banquet, reported that a fine entertainment would be presented by members of the sodality previous to the banquet. Being served. Kittredge's orchestra will furnish the music during the banquet. It was voted by the society that all members wishing to attend the banquet, should have their names in by next Tuesday evening, when a meeting will be held in the school hall after May devotion.

There will be a reception of new members into this society Sunday evening, May 21, when the society will have a procession in honor of the Blessed Virgin. All wishing to join are requested to hand their names in to the pastor, or some one of the officers, before this date.

POLICE FORCE LIST OF THOSE WHO PASSED THE EXAMS.

The following named persons successfully passed the educational and physical examinations for the police service of Lowell, the names being given in order of rank, to wit: Joseph L. Condit, Jerome P. Fallon, William L. Kegan, Patrick B. Clark, Joseph L. Johnson, Edw. J. Cennaro, William P. Brown, John M. G. Makin, Patrick J. Noonan, William E. Duff, Thomas J. Tully, Frank A. Hickey, Thomas J. Donahue, Erson B. Barlow, Gratian G. Sheridan, Michael H. Winn, John J. Giers, John J. Kelleher, Michael J. O'Brien, James J. Noonan, Bernard J. Truett, Thomas H. Kennedy, John E. McHugh, Patrick J. Delmonico, Alfred J. O'Connell, John J. Gieria, Joseph T. Gray, Simon H. McElroy, Maciejewski, Joseph George Small, Bernard J. Lee, Edward D. Riley, Hugh F. Alexander, John W. Mahan, John J. Farnham and Michael J. McNamara. All having obtained a rank of \$3.31 and \$3.30 McNamara \$3.40.

DEATHS IN BARNARD—Mrs. Sybil Richardson, aged 83 years, died yesterday at 10:30 a. m. in Pelham. Deceased was an old resident of Pelham and was buried in Lowell.

BRAY—Mrs. Catherine Bray died last evening at her home, 12 Pollard

street. Deceased was a well known resident of St. Peter's parish and was the wife of former Superintendent of Public Buildings Richard Bray. Besides her husband, she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. William Shore. The funeral will take place from the residence at 8:30 Monday morning and mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. J. F. Rogers, undertaker.

FUNERALS LAUGHLIN—The funeral of Christopher Laughlin was held yesterday afternoon from his home, 43 Merrill street. The bearers were Daniel Burke, James Fife, John Spencer and Christopher Green. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Heffernan officiated at the grave. Undertaker J. F. Rogers had charge.

BURNS—The body of Elizabeth Burns, who died in Fall River, was sent to Lowell yesterday afternoon and placed in the rooms of Undertakers Molloy & Sons.

WHOLEY—The funeral of the late Margaret E. Wholey took place this morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 47 Grace street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9:30 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Burns. Rev. Fr. Hamilton of Ashland, Mass., assisted within the sanctuary. The choir under the direction of Prof. P. P. Haggerty chanted the Gregorian chant. At the offertory "Pie Jesu" was feelingly rendered by Prof. Haggerty. After the mass Mr. James E. Donnelly sang "No Cross, No Crown" and as the remains were carried out the choir rendered "De Profundis." Mrs. McKennedy presided at the organ. The bearers were six nephews of deceased. There was a wealth of floral tributes, showing the esteem in which deceased was held by her many friends. The out-of-town friends present were from Providence, R. I., Boston, Lawrence and Haverhill. Interment was in the Immaculate Conception cemetery, Lawrence, in charge of Undertaker Peter Daves.

SHERLOCK—The funeral of the late Edward H. Sherlock will take place Monday morning from his late home, 34 Pond street at 9 o'clock. Funeral mass at Immaculate Conception church. Funeral in charge of M. H. McDonough & Sons.

RICHARDSON—Died, May 16, Mrs. Sybil Richardson, aged 83 years, 1 month and 19 days. The funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at two o'clock at her late residence in Pelham. Friends invited. The funeral will be under the direction of funeral directors C. M. Young & Co.

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## SIGNS OF RETURNING PROSPERITY

EVERY DAY THAT PASSES BRINGS FRESH PROOF OF RETURNING CONFIDENCE AND REVIVING PROSPERITY. THE REPORTS FROM THE COTTON AND WOOLEN INDUSTRIES ARE VERY ENCOURAGING INDEED AND MUST BE PARTICULARLY CHEERING TO CITIES LIKE LOWELL, LAWRENCE AND FALL RIVER.

ONE OF THE LATEST REPORTS OF RETURNING PROSPERITY COMES TO OUR CITY THROUGH THOMAS WALSH, FORMER SUPERINTENDENT OF THE HAMILTON MILLS. MR. WALSH IS A CLOSE OBSERVER AND HE HAS MADE A TOUR OF TWENTY-THREE STATES IN THIS COUNTRY. IN THE WEST HE SAYS BUSINESS IS REVIVING AND THE PROSPECT OF A GREAT WAVE OF PROSPERITY IS APPARENT ON EVERY HAND. HE FEELS THAT THIS CHANGE WILL SOON REACH THE EASTERN STATES AND DISPEL THE GLOOM THAT HAS LINGERED HERE FOR THE PAST YEAR.

THERE IS NO REASON WHY THERE SHOULD BE A BUSINESS DEPRESSION AT THE PRESENT TIME IN A COUNTRY WITH SUCH VAST RESOURCES AS THIS UNDOUBTEDLY POSSESSES. IT IS SIMPLY A LACK OF CONFIDENCE WHICH WAS FOOLISH IN ITS ORIGIN BUT IS NOW HAPPILY BEING OVERCOME.

THE TRADE PAPERS, INCLUDING THE WOOL AND COTTON REPORTER, A VERY RELIABLE AUTHORITY, SPEAK IN HOPEFUL TERMS OF THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK AND IN THESE SENTIMENTS THE OFFICIALS OF THE LOCAL MILLS FULLY CONCUR.

THERE IS NO ONE THING IN THE LOCAL SITUATION SO REASSURING TO THE PEOPLE EMPLOYED IN THE MILLS, AS WELL AS THE MERCHANTS OF THIS CITY, AS THE FACT THAT SEVERAL NEW MILL BUILDINGS ARE TO BE CONSTRUCTED HERE DURING THE COMING SUMMER. THE MILL CORPORATIONS USUALLY KNOW THEIR GROUND BEFORE THEY GO AHEAD WITH ENTERPRISES OF THIS KIND.

CONGRESSMAN BURTON IN A RECENT SPEECH IN CONGRESS HAS POINTED OUT THE VAST DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE PRESENT DEPRESSION AND THAT OF 1893. THE HOPEFUL SIGN IN THE PRESENT CASE WAS THE PROMPT CHECK TO THE NUMBER OF BANK FAILURES LAST APRIL. THE BANKS THAT HAVE FAILED HAVE, WITH FEW EXCEPTIONS, STARTED UP AGAIN AND THERE IS A TOTAL ABSENCE OF RAILROADS AND CORPORATIONS GOING INTO THE HANDS OF RECEIVERS AS WAS THE CASE IN 1893. BESIDES, THE NUMBER OF BUILDING PERMITS RECORDED IN THE VARIOUS CITIES FROM CHICAGO TO NEW ORLEANS INDICATES A SPIRIT OF CONFIDENCE SUCH AS WAS NOT TO BE FOUND EITHER IN 1893 OR 1894. THIS SPEAKS WELL FOR THE PRESENT OUTLOOK. IT INDICATES THAT THE DEPRESSION IS PRACTICALLY GONE BY AND THAT BUSINESS IS SLOWLY THOUGH SURELY GETTING BACK TO ITS NORMAL CONDITION. IT MUST BE REMEMBERED THAT THIS DEPRESSION HAS NOT BEEN CONFINED TO THIS COUNTRY ALONE BUT WAS WORLD-WIDE AND THIS COUNTRY WILL BE FIRST TO SHOW COMPLETE RECOVERY FROM A STATE OF BUSINESS STAGNATION.

## OBJECTIONABLE PICTURE SHOWS

IN MANY OF THE MOVING PICTURE EXHIBITIONS HERE AND ELSEWHERE, SOME OF THE PICTURES PRESENTED ARE HIGHLY OBJECTIONABLE. SOME SEEM TO ENCOURAGE GAMBLING, OTHERS CRUELTY, AND STILL OTHERS MURDER. ONE OF THE PICTURES PRESENTED SHOWED A MAN IN DEBT. HIS BUSINESS RUINED, GOING OUT TO PLAY THE RACE TRACK WHERE HE WINS A LARGE AMOUNT, PAYS OFF THE MORTGAGE ON HIS HOUSE AND AGAIN IS HAPPY. ANOTHER PICTURE SHOWN HERE QUITE RECENTLY SHOWED TWO ROOSTERS IN A MOST REALISTIC COMBAT, WHICH WAS CONTINUED UNTIL ONE FELL DEAD. THERE HAS ALSO BEEN PICTURES OF BULL FIGHTS IN WHICH ONE ANIMAL WAS FINALLY KILLED. BUT WORSE EVEN THAN THESE WAS A PICTURE OF A LABOR STRIKE IN WHICH ONE OF THE STRIKERS KILLED THE BOSS AND WON GREAT APPLAUSE.

NOW ALL THIS IS WRONG. ITS INFLUENCE UPON THE MINDS OF THE YOUNG IS BAD AND HENCE ALL SUCH OBJECTIONABLE FEATURES SHOULD BE ELIMINATED. TO INTRODUCE SUGGESTIVE PICTURES OR ONES OF DEMORALIZING OR BRUTALIZING TENDENCIES IS BUT TO PROSTITUTE AN INVENTION THAT COULD BE USED NOT ONLY TO AMUSE AND INSTRUCT BUT TO UPLIFT AND SAVE.

IN JUSTICE TO THE MOVING PICTURE THEATRES IT MUST BE SAID THAT QUITE FREQUENTLY SOME STRONG TEMPERANCE LESSONS ARE PRESENTED. SOME TOUCHING SCENES ILLUSTRATING FILIAL AFFECTION AND DOMESTIC VIRTUE. THESE ARE ALL GOOD AND IT IS DESIRABLE TO HAVE MORE OF THEM AND TO GUARD AGAINST LETTING ANY OBJECTIONABLE FEATURE INTO ANY OF THE COLLECTIONS.

LET US HOPE SOME PROPER CENSORSHIP WILL BE EXERCISED OVER THE MOVING PICTURE SHOWS BY THE MANAGERS IF BY NOBODY ELSE, IN ORDER THAT ALL THAT IS SUGGESTIVE OR DEMORALIZING IN ITS TENDENCY SHALL BE ELIMINATED.

### EDITORIAL COMMENT

**PAY OF LETTER CARRIERS.**  
New Bedford, May 15.—The letter carriers are disappointed that the bill for the payment of \$100,000 to the post office appropriation bill as reported to the senate. The carriers have been paid by the senate committee, which took into consideration the fact that the bill gives the carriers thirty days' annual leave, with pay. The carriers are understood to prefer the advance in pay to the leave of absence and a bonus for the restoration of the appropriation as passed by the house, will be made on the floor of the senate.

**IRISH NATIONAL FORESTERS.**  
At the meeting of the Irish National Foresters, held at the National Foresters' hall, Monday, 11th, a full attendance of members and officers. The report of Secretary Hunt was read and accepted. It showed the branch to be in a flourishing condition. The report of the treasurer, J. J. O'Donnell, was read and accepted. The report of the committee on the proposed constitution was read and accepted. It was voted to hold the annual convention on May 20, at which a local branch is to be organized. The address of the members who gave up their lives for the freedom of Ireland. The report of the committee on the proposed constitution was read and accepted. It was voted to hold the annual convention on May 20, at which a local branch is to be organized. The address of the members who gave up their lives for the freedom of Ireland.

**JAPAN'S FINANCIAL TROUBLES.**  
Springfield, Mass., May 15.—The report that the Japanese government is trying to get gold loans from the London market is now being given attention to by the financial circles of the country. It is said that the Japanese government is in need of funds that it will pay 9 per cent. interest. With its towering national ambition, its enormous expenditures of money to build a powerful navy and army and maintain its industrial system, Japan certainly presents an interesting study for students of history and economics. Most interesting of all is the question of Japan's motive and how it will all end. In attempting to place itself in the class with first-class powers, Japan is much like a clerk who attempts to live on his salary in the same manner as do wealthy merchants and manufacturers.

### PEOPLE OF NOTE

Senator Platt of California might with great exaggeration be called the duke of the senate. It is easily the best dressed senator, not because his clothes are any more in quality than those of some of his colleagues, but because they are in his hands and are more correctly put to the use.

The senator's frock coat is particularly

fascinating from the point of view of the expert sartorialist. It is easily the most "correct" in the senate, and there are some very modish dressers in "the American House of Lords."

Commissioner Bingham of the New York police department said a few emphatic words recently as to the duties of a captain of police. This occasion was the trial of Capt. Steve McDermott of the East Twenty-second street station on charges of failing to suppress a riot in his district.

Governor Campbell, of Texas, won his nomination for governor some what along the same line as William J. Bryan won his best presidential nomination. Campbell was one of the candidates in one of the best fought states of Texas and once again Senator Bailey was leading the fight for him. The convention hall was tense with excitement. The crucial moment had come to cast the ballot. Just then the shrill notes of a life were heard from the street and the words of a drum, far and faint, seemed, but it was the cry of "Lynch."

Governor Broward, of Florida, has the record of having appointed two United States senators within a period of four months. It has probably never been equalled before. Upon the death of Senator Mahony last December he appointed William J. Bryan to the vacancy. Bryan lived but four months, and he had to die before he could be sworn in. He was appointed William L. Milton, the present incumbent.

"When I appointed Bryan," said Governor Broward, "he was a clean-cut, alert, bright young fellow of great intelligence and industry. I looked for a great future for him. When he started

to assume his official duties he told me that he hoped his career would vindicate my appointment, and that he hoped to spend the rest of his life in the senate and die in the harness. He did, poor fellow, but sooner than either he or I expected.

Governor Nicholson, of Nebraska, tells the following story about his famous fellow statesman, William J. Bryan. Early in his career Bryan made a tour of Nebraska, speaking for the democratic candidate. He attacked the republican candidate with a bitterness and vigor seldom equaled. The republican won. After the election there was a great harvest home festival in Lincoln, at which the governor-elect presided and at which Mr. Bryan was asked to speak. He sat on the stage hot and uncomfortable, facing the man he had called every name in the calendar. It was one of those occasions where some one reads the Declaration of Independence, and then some one played a solo on a cornet, and again some one sang.

When it came Bryan's turn the presiding officer stepped to the front of the platform and said: "Now I wish to introduce to you your brilliant young fellow townsman, William J. Bryan, who will."

Here he stopped, leaned over and whispered to Bryan in a stage whisper that none could fail to hear:

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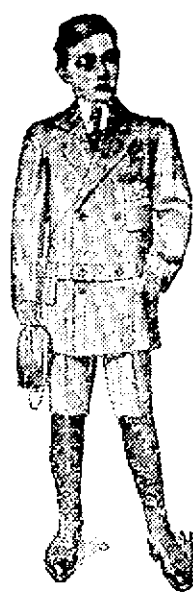
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## FIRE IN BASEMENT

Of the Cook & Taylor Store

The alarm from box 53 at a few minutes before eight o'clock this morning was for a blaze in a box of rubbish in the basement of the store of Cook & Taylor in Central street. Chief Hosmer allowed that somebody lighted the gas in the basement and, accidentally and carelessly, threw the match in the box. The damage was very slight but the smoke filled the store and made it disagreeable for a time.

Fred C. Church had the insurance on the Cook & Taylor store, Central street, where the fire was this morning.

### THE RED MEN

EXALTED ONE WARRIOR AT LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

The regular meeting of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men was held last night and considerable business of importance was transacted. The degree staff performed the ceremony of exalting an one warrior. Three applications were received and referred to committees. At the close of the next meeting the list of haymakers will meet, the election of officers will take place and every member is requested to be present. Four candidates will be initiated. Some of the grand officers are expected to be present. Refreshments will be served and an entertainment given by the companions.

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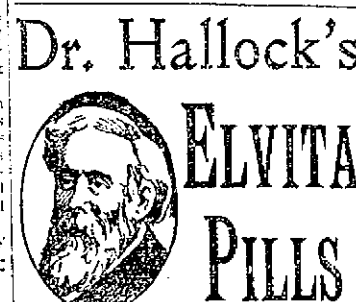
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## PLEADED GUILTY

Seven Men Implicated  
in Murder Cases

SAVING \$50,000 TO  
COUNTY

Because Men Changed  
Their Pleas

By the decision of seven men charged with being implicated in four murders in Watertown, Newton and Somerville, and the energetic work of Dist. Atty. John J. Higgins and his staff, Middlesex county will be saved a possible expense of from \$35,000 to \$50,000 in trying them for their lives.

Last night John L. Ambrose, assistant clerk of courts, sent out notice to the 250 or more jurors summoned to attend the special sessions that were to have been held beginning Monday, May 18, and Monday, May 25, that their attendance at court would not be required until further notice.

Two of the men indicted by the Middlesex grand jury for murder changed their pleas of not guilty yesterday noon to that of guilty of murder in the second degree. They are Giuseppe Zeccolo of Watertown, charged with murdering Charles Reed in that town, and Ferdinand Di Ribasso of Somerville, charged with murdering his wife.

The remaining five under indictment for capital crimes are Pasquale Colucciello and Raffaele Reppucci of Boston, charged with the murder of Luigi Marro, or Montabo, at Newton, and Oscar L. Kelson, John J. Killian and George F. "Jockey" Gilmore, charged with the murder of Chas. E. Bushee, a Somerville druggist.

Colucciello has indicated his desire to change his plea of not guilty to guilty of murder to that of guilty of manslaughter. Reppucci, who was captured within the present week, wishes to

change his plea to guilty of being accessory after the fact. Kelson, Killian and Gilmore have indicated to the district attorney that they will plead guilty to charges of murder in the second degree.

In all of these cases the district attorney will accept the pleas as outlined above. All the men will be brought into the superior court before Judge Sherman, probably Monday morning, for at 10 o'clock Monday Di Ribasso and Zeccolo are to be brought in to receive their sentences.

Dist. Atty. Higgins and the officers associated with him are receiving the congratulations of the court and the bar for their work on the cases.

**MATTHEW SCOTT**

LOWELL BUSINESS MAN TENDERED DINNER IN BOSTON.

Matthew Scott, who has just gone into business in the Gilbride store in this city after 29 years' association with Farley, Harvey & Co. of Boston, was honored with a dinner last evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harvey at their home in Newton Centre. Mr. Scott was presented with a silver service. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Harvey of Reading, Mr. and Mrs. George F. F. Roberts and John A. Waldo, Jr. of Boston.

**ANNUAL BANQUET**

OF GROCERS AND BUTCHERS NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT.

The banquet to be given by the Grocers and Butchers' association at Odd Fellows hall, Middlesex street, next Tuesday evening, promises to eclipse anything of its nature conducted by the association in former years. Elaborate plans have been arranged for the event, and the committee in charge intends making the night one of pleasure for all.

The D. L. Page company will serve an elaborate menu, and the speech-making of the evening will include Mayor Farnham, Humphrey O'Sullivan, A. G. Walsh, Secretary John A. McKenna of the Lowell board of trade, Representative James E. O'Donnell and John A. Green of Cleveland, secretary of the National Retail Grocers' association. A selected musical program will be an added feature.

The committee expects every grocer and butcher and all the clerks to attend, and asks them to bring their families and friends. It ought to be a "big night" for those concerned.

**THE ONLY WEBBER**

THE MENU FOR NEXT TUESDAY AND THURSDAY.

Miss Webber will talk and do things before the ladies of Lowell at the apartment store of Lowell Gas Light Co. on John street next week, as follows:

Beef Cannelon.  
Ketchup Sauce.  
Graham Pop-Overs.  
Cream Puff Mixture.  
Cream Ring.  
Chocolate Bread.  
Pudding with Meringue.  
Grange Punch.

Every lady in Lowell is assured she will be welcome, and every one is guaranteed a front seat, if there in season. Lecture begins promptly at 8 o'clock. See announcement on first page of this issue. Read the same to your husband.

**NO LIQUOR**

TO BE SOLD AT THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

CHICAGO, May 15.—The sub-committee on arrangements of the republican national committee passed a rule yesterday which puts the Coliseum where the convention is to be held, in the prohibition column. It declares that "no liquor shall be sold, served or brought into the convention hall either at the committee meetings or during the convention."

**BRUTAL ATTACK**

MAN ACCUSED OF KICKING HIS MOTHER.

BOSTON, May 15.—Accused of beating his own mother in front of their home, Michael J. Connolly, 35, of Desmond street, Roxbury, was arrested by officers of Station 2 just before midnight last night.

Mrs. Connolly is at the City hospital in a serious condition, suffering from a broken hip and bruises and contusions. According to the police Connolly, much the worse for liquor, returned home a few moments before the assault.

His mother, who had been anxiously awaiting him, is said to have remonstrated with him for his late appearance. This is said to have angered Connolly, who is alleged to have pushed his mother, knocking her down the door steps.

**IN RECEIVER'S HANDS.**

NEW YORK, May 15.—The Vacuum Cleaner company was yesterday placed in the hands of a receiver with liabilities of \$270,000, and estimated assets of \$400,000, of which \$210,000 are in this city. Charles W. Gould was appointed receiver by the United States district court.

## MARRIAGE VOID

Because Her Husband

Lacked Good Faith

WHEN HE ENTERED  
INTO CONTRACT

His Child is Barred From  
the Estate

Not having been entered into in good faith on the part of the husband, the second marriage of Mary A. Betham and William Hawkins, formerly a partner, and an officer at the house of correction in East Cambridge, is held illegal by Judge Hammond of the supreme court. Her children are entitled to her estate to the exclusion of his child.

In 1865 the woman and her first husband, Alfred J. Betham, came to this country from England. They lived in Boston and Melrose. They had two children, Mary F. and Frederick W. Betham. The couple separated.

During his life she married Hawkins. In 1899 Betham died. She died in 1901 and it was contended that the second marriage became legal under the statute providing that on the removal of any impediment to a lawful marriage, the marriage becomes legal, if entered into in good faith on the part of the other party.

Though Mrs. Hawkins could not marry legally while her first husband was alive, it was contended that on the death of the latter, her second marriage became legal as it was entered into in good faith on the part of the husband.

Hawkins died after his wife, leaving a daughter by a former marriage. She claimed she was entitled to share in the distribution of the estate of Mrs. Hawkins, being entitled to her father's interests in the property.

The probate court held she was not entitled to any part of the property as her father was not the lawful husband of the deceased. She appealed from the decree and Judge Hammond yesterday affirmed the decree, so Mrs. Hawkins' own children will get the property which is worth about \$2500.

**"ELSIE" HERRICK**

Former Lowell Man  
Dead in New York

The many Lowell friends of John F. Herrick, better known as "Elsie" Herrick, and a prominent member of Lowell lodge, B. P. O. Elks, will be pained to learn of his death which occurred yesterday at Ironville, N. Y. where he had been ill for a long time.

He was formerly in business in this city, but had been a resident of New York for over 10 years. While in Lowell he was prominent in the Elks and was a member of the old Big 12 social club. He leaves a brother in this city, Mr. Jos. Herrick, and a daughter, Mrs. Cullinan of Lawrence. Lowell lodge of Elks will take charge of the funeral and see Boucher and Bro. Michael H. Connolly left for New York today.

**ANNUAL MEETING**

OF SHAREHOLDERS OF LOWELL CO-OPERATIVE BANK.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Lowell Co-operative bank was held last night and the following officers were elected:

President, Artemas B. Woodworth; vice president, Stephen R. Kitchen; clerk and treasurer, William D. Brown; directors three years, Thomas Collins, Francis E. Appleton, Oliver H. D. Green, William H. Penn, William D. Brown; auditors, Lucius F. Paulint, Herbert L. Bishop, Samuel A. Greathead.

At a meeting of the board of directors held after the shareholders' meeting the following officers were elected: Secretary, William D. Brown; attorney and conveyer, John F. Haskell; security committee, George H. Taylor, Warren F. Sanborn, Southwell Farrington; finance committee, Oliver H. D. Green, Thomas Collins, John Kerr.

Holders wishing money for immediate use, including in bank bidding on \$200,000, showing the rate up to 8 1/2 per cent. The dividend for the six months just past was paid at the rate of five per cent. The following figures were contained in the annual report:

The real estate loans amount to \$300,000 and those for the bulk of the total assets of \$222,222. In the liabilities the dues capital is \$220,000, with results of \$5,102.65. The forfeited share amount shows just \$1. The total number of shares is 11,156 and the membership numbers 1559. There are 453 borrowers with 527 real estate loans.

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No other disease is so painful as rheumatism. Uric Acid crystals are deposited in and about the joints, and that is called rheumatism. The only way to which this painful and dangerous disease can be absolutely cured is with Neuracetic Analgesic, a remedy that has an entirely different action from anything else.

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A large sized bottle of Neuracetic Analgesic costs but 25c, and it is so successful in curing rheumatism, neuritis, headache, toothache and relieving bruises and sprains that the proprietors, The Twilchell-Chapman Co., Portland, Me., authorize dealers everywhere to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.

## ADMIRAL SPERRY

Is Now in Command of

Fleet

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 15.—Rear-Admiral Charles S. Sperry, who returned lately from a mission as one of the American delegates to the conference of The Hague, assumed command yesterday of the strongest force of first-class fighting ships assembled in the history of the nation. Rear-Admiral Charles M. Thomas, who succeeded Rear-Admiral Evans commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, hauled down his flag at 10:40 a. m., from the truck of the Connecticut and ten minutes later Admiral Sperry was received on board the flagship with the salutes and other honors befitting his position.

When Admiral Sperry took command the re-organization of the fleet was immediately carried into effect. Rear-Admiral Emory transferred his flag from the Georgia to the Louisiana, the new flagship of the second squadron, third division. Captain Richard Walnwright gave up command of the Louisiana and was transferred to the Georgia. He commanded the second division, Captain Schroeder, commanding the Virginia, assumed command of the fourth division. He took up his quarters on the new flagship Wisconsin.

Both Captains Schroeder and Walnwright will be promoted to the grade of rear-admiral in July.

Although still an independent force as to intent and purposes, the Atlantic fleet passed locally and temporarily today under the control of the Pacific fleet.

Rear-Admiral Dayton, commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet, outposts Admiral Sperry and as soon as Admiral Thomas' blue flag was run down on the Connecticut, he became senior officer, in command of the combined fleets. It had been indicated that the Pacific fleet should sail yesterday morning and thus avoid the ensuing complications of change of command, but under orders from Washington, the cruisers are held here to await further instructions.

Although he will not retire until next October, Admiral Thomas yesterday ended his active naval career of nearly forty-seven years. He served as second in command to Admiral Evans during the recent trip of the Atlantic fleet and by reason of the illness of the commander-in-chief had to assume all of the social and official duties incident to the call of the battleships at the various South American ports.

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**STOLE MONEY**

IN ORDER TO PAY DOCTOR'S BILL.

NEWTON, May 15.—That she might pay the doctor who was attending an invalid sister, was the reason given by Miss Emma C. Eastman, 35, of 92 Maple street, Waltham, in the Newton police court yesterday morning for appropriating money from her employer, James S. Kennedy company of Newton Upper Falls.

She said that out of her salary she could not continue to have a physician care for her sister and did not consider the consequences. This fact was borne out by Miss Eastman arranging with her employer to make restitution for the money.

Judge Kennedy, although pleased with the idea of restoring the money, said that it did not expiate the crime, but consented to a postponement of the case for one week, and allowed Miss Eastman to be released on \$100 bail.

**Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY**

ELECTED OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

At a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Craig yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. M. Craig; vice presidents, Mrs. Ariel Kinney, Mrs. C. T. Cpton, Mrs. A. R. Dills; secretary, Mrs. C. O. S. Wheeler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. H. R. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Woodman; chairman of collectors, Mrs. Herbert Davis; board of directors, the above officers, and Mrs. F. K. Stearns, Mrs. E. E. Ferrin, Mrs. Charles Meader, Mrs. Burton H. Wiggin, Mrs. E. J. Neale, Mrs. Fred Woodies, Mrs. C. O. Wilson.

**SEEK COADJUTOR**

ARCHBISHOP O'CONNELL WILL PRESIDE AT MEETING.

Archbishop O'Connell will preside at a meeting of the coadjutors and permanent rectors of the diocese at Burlington, Vt., next Tuesday, when the names of the clergymen will be selected for consideration as bishop coadjutor of the diocese. The bishops of the New England province will at a later meeting approve these three or select three others. The Holy See makes the final choice. The coadjutor will have the right of succession to the present bishop of Burlington, the Rt. Rev. Dr. John S. Michael, who has been ill for months and who has petitioned Rome to give him a coadjutor.

**FRANK SANTRY**

DISLOCATED HIS SHOULDER WHILE POOLING.

Frank Santry, aged 25 years, employed at the St. Charles hotel, while pooling yesterday was thrown and suffered a dislocated shoulder. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to St. John's hospital.

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**IN THE HOUSE.**

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The Vreeland currency bill as amended by the senate went to the house at 5:10 o'clock yesterday afternoon and immediately was called up by Mr. Burton (Ohio) who moved to suspend the rules, disagree to the amendments, and ask a conference.

Mr. Burton explained what the senate had done and asked prompt action of the senate gave promise that something at this session would be accomplished.

In the opinion of Mr. Williams, the minority leader, the bill as amended by the senate, was infinitely worse than the Vreeland bill. He urged his colleagues to vote against the motion to disagree to the senate amendments, saying that if the motion were lost the bill would have to go to the banking committee.

Again getting the floor, Mr. Burton grided the democrats for "side stepping" Thursday, a vote on the Williams bill.

The vote resulted: Ayes, 150; nays, 103; "present" 6, and the bill was sent to the banking committee.

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**THE NEW FUEL**

THE demonstration this week at Coburn's has kindled much enthusiasm among campers, owners of summer cottages and dwellers in the suburbs, where gas and electricity are not available. Among the articles employed are—cooking stoves from single to triple burners, house lamps and the handy flatiron.

The complete portability and adaptability of these devices should receive consideration. No piping, or wiring, or fixed connections are required.







# SOME TITLED EUROPEAN YACHTSWOMEN

**R**ULE Britannia, rule the waves! warbles the loyal Briton, and, though other nations may scoff at his enthusiasm, Britannia goes right on ruling the wave. There is no doubt that the English are the greatest race of seamen in the world, quite as great in their way as the ancient Phoenicians, and perhaps one of the secrets of their greatness is this enthusiasm and the fact that their women are, so many of them, true sailors. Nowhere else in the world will you find so many women devoted to aquatic sports and excellence in them. It was Great Britain that gave the world a marine heroine, Grace Darling, and you will never find a finer, sturdier stock than the fisher women of her northern islands.

Even the great ladies of England are proud of their skill as navigators. Some of the famous beauties of England have won their matchless complexion in contests with the wind and waves in the seacoast villages in which their earliest years were spent. The salt sea is a wonderful invigorator of the skin and its ozone a tonic unexcelled by anything in the pharmacopoeia.

It was the open air life and the salt breezes of Jersey that gave Lily Langtry her marvelous skin. One of the best amateur sailors in England is Mrs. Cornwallis West, whose daughter, the Princess of Pless and the Duchess of Westminster, are never happier than when aboard a yacht. Mrs. George Keppel, now prime favorite of the English court, is the daughter of Admiral Sir Archibald Edmondstone and comes of a race of sailors. The Marchioness of Londonderry, celebrated for her beauty and jewels, is seen at her best in yachting costume. When at Mount Stewart, a favorite country seat, one of her ladyship's favorite recreations is yachting. The Marchioness of Ormonde, whose husband is commodore of the Royal Yacht Squadron, is one of the most accomplished of aristocratic yachtswomen. Her two daughters, Lady Constance Butler and Lady Beatrice Pole-Carew, famous beauties of the London smart set, are as fond of the water as mermaids. A cold plunge into the sea every morning is said to be part of the day's routine when they are on board their father's crack yacht, the *Mirage*. The wife and daughter of Lord Dunraven, who twice equipped yachts to try to win the International cup from America, accompany the earl on many of his yachting expeditions. The Duchess of Sutherland, who does so many things well, is devoted to yachting. So, too, are the dowager Countess de la Warr and her daughter, Lady Mary Sackville. Lady de la Warr sails a yacht of thirty-three tons named the *Violet*. The Duchess of Bedford, who is a most enthusiastic sportswoman, can manage a boat as well as most skippers and is one of the most interesting figures at the annual Cowes regatta. Lady Lonsdale, the wife of the sporting earl, shares her husband's tastes in regard to sport, her favorite recreation being yachting. The Duchess of Leeds, whose husband is one of the heads of the Royal yacht squadron, is a most retiring English peeress, indifferent to London society



COUNTESS OF ANNESLEY

and preferring her books at one of her husband's splendid country seats to life in the gay city. The duchess is a sister of the Earl of Durham, one of the richest nobles in the "north country" and of a race that knows and loves the sea. Her brother, Sir Hedworth Lambton, is the commander of the king's yacht, the *Victoria* and Albert, a much prized squire by the officers of the royal navy. One of the most popular of English beauties, Georgiana, Lady Dudley, is a clever yachtswoman, as is her daughter, Lady Wolverton, the two scarcely ever missing a gathering of the Royal Yacht Squadron. Lady Lian-gatock is never happier than when afloat on her yacht, the *Santa Maria*. The furnishings of this vessel, which are especially handsome for an English yacht, were designed by Lady Lian-gatock herself. Lady Evelyn Guinness, wife of the Hon. Walter Edward Guinness, a scion of the rich English brewing family of that name, has a great penchant for the sea. Her husband is interested in the races at Cowes, and she is herself an excellent sailor. She is the third daughter of the Earl of Buchan, and her husband is the third son of Viscount Ivergh.

One of the most famous of the English yachtswomen is the lovely Countess of Annesley, who spent her honeymoon on board her husband's ship, the *Sea Bird*. Lady Annesley is a successful fisher woman as well as sailor. The Countess Carnarvon, remembered pleasantly in this country, which she visited with her husband in 1903, is a yachtswoman of repute. Although the Carnarvons have several fine estates, they spend much of their time on board their yacht.

No list of English yachtswomen

would be complete without the name of Mrs. G. A. Schenley, who can handle a boat as well as any old salt. Although comparatively unknown in America, the Schenleys have American blood in their veins, the mother of Mr. Schenley having been a Pittsburgh heiress who eloped with a Captain Schenley and thus transferred to English ownership some of the most valuable tracts of real estate in the city of Pittsburgh. These had been handed down in the family from an Indian trader said to have first made his appearance around old Fort Duquesne about the time of the French and Indian war and to have been extremely thrifty in his dealings with the Indians. Schenley park, the principal breathing spot of the Smoky City, which extends over a large tract of land in the rear of Mr. Carnegie's library and technical school, was the gift of the Schenleys to the city. The Schenleys still keep up an acquaintance with their Pittsburgh relatives, who include the Denny, the O'Hara and the Darlington, but in most particulars they have become thoroughly Anglicized and in nothing more so than in their devotion to yachting.

It is natural that yachting should be a fashionable sport of the English aristocracy, for royalty itself sets the example. Queen Alexandra is a thorough daughter of the sea kings in her devotion to the ocean. She is said to be happiest on board a ship, and nothing renews her health and good looks so much as a cruise in the royal yacht *Victoria* and *Albert*, which has been fitted up with every appliance that can make it comfortable and convenient. Her daughters, the Princess Louise, Duchess of Fife, Princess Victoria and Queen Maude of Norway, are all able



LADY EVELYN GUINNESS



COUNTESS OF CARNARVON

sailors. The Connaughts, although they are not rich enough to own a very pretentious craft, are always delighted with the opportunity to take a cruise. Princess Henry of Battenberg has the yacht *Sheila*, a vessel of about eighty tons, in which it is her delight to spend

much of her leisure time. Here her equipped vessel, the *Thistle*, being daughter, Queen Victoria Eugenie of Spain, acquired her love of sailing. The late Queen Victoria also ex-Emperess Eugenie, who is nowadays spent considerable time on the water, a thorough Englishwoman in tastes but her majesty was easily satisfied, and habits, is one of the most ardent, and her yachts were not particularly yachtswomen in Europe, her splendidly handsome or up to date, and when



PRINCESS HENRY OF PLESS



LADY LONDONDERRY

King Edward fell heir to them they were promptly retired from active duty. The Isle of Wight, where Queen Victoria passed so many happy summers, is the favorite yachting resort of royalty. In the season all the yacht owning royalties of Europe may be met there.

Cowes week is the great event in European yachting circles. The regatta is a splendid function, in which women play a prominent and picturesque part, even to contesting for prizes. To this little town on the Isle of Wight in the first week of August repair every year the vessels of all the smart set of the yachting fraternity. The fact that it is the headquarters of the Royal Yacht Squadron, which includes all the crack vessels of Great Britain's yachting aristocracy, has made the town famous, and the regatta is its chief source of income. Various races are run for prizes offered by individuals or clubs, but the most prized trophies are the cups offered by the king, the German emperor, the Royal Yacht Squadron and the town of Cowes. All the finest vessels compete for these prizes, the race beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning and being announced by the firing of a gun from the castle, which is now the clubhouse of the Royal Yacht Squadron. All the craft in the harbor are crowded with women in trim costumes, and the results of the races are followed with the most intense excitement. The lawn of the castle during the afternoon of Cowes week is crowded with the women relatives and friends of members, but the entire is very difficult for those not included in the exclusive set of English society. Indeed, for a newcomer to be seen on the lawn at Cowes is enough to announce to the world that he or she has arrived socially.

The rich American's love for yachting has of course been fostered by the devotion of the English to this sport. It is even in its simplest form an expensive recreation, for a small yacht costs well up into the thousands, and the expense of maintaining it is very great. However, many Americans are willing to spend this money, for nothing brings them so quickly and closely into touch with the leaders of the old world aristocracies or even royalty itself than to own crack yachts and have the reputation of being smart sailors. One lesson, however, might be learned from the English. While no expense is spared in making their yachts trim and fast, luxurious furnishings are a secondary consideration. Indeed, the yachts even of royalty are from the standpoint of the American new rich, fitted out with great simplicity. Simplicity, too, characterizes the yachting costumes of English yachtswomen. Serviceable serges and the Irish tweeds popularized by the Marchioness of Londonderry, who is a great worker on behalf of the Irish industries, are the popular materials. Trim sailor hats and substantial boots and gloves are essential features of the modish yachting costumes. Trains and the frills and fripperies sometimes seen on American yachtswomen are considered bad form by the English ladies.

WINIFRED WORTHINGTON.

## Making Home Happy Not a One Sided Affair

**W**HEN you hear about an unhappy marriage just remember there are two sides to it. To read the women's magazines, especially the recent numbers, you would imagine that woman alone had it in their power to make home happy.

Not a bit of it! A woman, no matter how hard she works, certainly cannot make a real home unless her husband helps her. A man who comes

home bearing his business troubles with him will spoil the best of dinners and the most pleasant of evenings.

You see plenty of articles advising the wife to appear always well dressed, but what about the husband? How does he appear in his wife's eyes when he lounges around in his old coat or perhaps in no coat at all?

A woman is blamed if she talks of her household troubles at the dinner table. She must be bright, entertaining, chatty, say the oracles. But what

of the man? He comes home with a grouch. The market has gone wrong, and during the evening meal he sits behind his newspaper scanning the

Scanning the closing quotations.



closing quotations, while his poor little wife sits in silence.

What about keeping his worries to himself, eh?

Then, talking about tempers, what of the husband's disposition? Is it always even? Men have "sulks" oftener than women, and they show their displeasure openly where a woman's training would teach her to conceal it.

The "Manly" Way.

A man expects absolute sympathy from his wife. She must laugh when he laughs, weep when he weeps. She is expected to listen to his most long winded remarks "intelligently." But what about the sympathy he gives her?

It seems to me it is a very risky quality. If he happens to be interested in what she is saying, why, well and good, but if he isn't he will like as not tell her quite crossly not to be silly, and why does she tell him all that stuff and nonsense?

And, then, too, a man lives for his comfort. If Bridget spoils the soup he gets distinctly annoyed. His wife suffers from the servant's carelessness quite as much as he does, but she conceals her feelings on the subject.

And, then, what about loneliness as a factor toward making unhappiness in married life?

Suppose a wife were to go off nearly every evening and leave her husband alone. What, I ask you, would be the result as far as he was concerned?

I'd hate to say.

Husbands do this sort of thing continually to their wives. Can you blame the women for rebelling? And yet they are called every name in the calendar if they object either tacitly or otherwise.

All I have to say is this: If a man wants to go out evening after evening by himself he has no business to get married. Marriage is for companionship as much as anything else. The burden of its success or failure should not be placed on the woman's shoulders alone. It rests a good bit with

the man. He should see to it that she is kept contented and happy, just as she sees to it that his house is run in good order.

In matrimony there is no room for selfishness either on the man or the woman's part.

Making home happy should certainly not be a one sided affair.

The Beauty of Simplicity.

What draws the new satin evening gowns are with their long, classical lines and clinging, trailing skirts. There was one at the theater the other night of pale turquoise blue, and it was guileless of any trimming save a narrow ball fringe of silver. The cut and the draping were the secret of the gown's success.

While I am speaking on the clothes question I want to impress on you the beauty of simplicity, especially when you can't afford really handsome and rich things.

Take the matter of fancy waists, for example. How I hate the elaborate waist made of cheap net and cheaper lace one sees universally exploited in the shop windows! As a matter of fact, no woman of refinement wears one of them, but this is what she does have:

You know, of course, that charming net with a square mesh—Elet net, it is called. Well, you have no idea what a dainty thing it makes, and let me tell you it is the very latest thing.

A friend recently showed me one which was sent home from a Fifth Avenue shop, and my dear readers, could make one like it in a short time. It is very simple.

The material is white flax net, and the front and back are laid in six half inch tucks. The front flax is hidden under three rows of Valenciennes laid out flat and finished off each with three tiny gold buttons. The high collar also has a touch of gold in the shape of soutache trim, while the three-quarter sleeves are charmingly finished with wide cuffs, also outlined with the tiny gilt trim.

This is made over a fine silk foundation, and if the gold braid and buttons are removed it will wash perfectly.

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Overalls.

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By the way, crin laces and nets are rather on the wane just now. There is a deep partiality being shown for pure white.

I have seen a good many overskirts, but in most cases they have been rather pretty than otherwise because a bordered material was used. It is a mistake to suppose that only tall women can wear overskirts. Every woman can if the right proportion is observed, and that is where the value of a good dressmaker comes in. She studies the proportions of her clients and doesn't make the mistake of a single inch because she knows that inch may make or mar the entire effect of a costume.

Another man has something to say.

"Women are marrying later in life," he says.

Well, my dear sir, I, for one, don't deplore it! Women need all the sense and all the experience they can get before marching to the altar.

A Grave Mistake.

I wish people could be stopped from writing articles on how to go to Europe on next to nothing and that sort of foolishness.

A lot of women save their pennies and go to Europe only to get "stuck" there for lack of proper means.

It's no use. You can't have a good time abroad if you have to keep fighting for cheap rates all the time. You want to wait until you have plenty of money before you cross.

Under a small sum incited by the optimistic writer on cheap European travel and spend it in this country. You will have a much better time for the money.

American Snobbishness.

Before I close I want to make a few remarks about American snobbishness. We are supposed to be a democratic nation, and yet our women show a spirit of snobbishness which is unequalled even among the titled set abroad.

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of the smart set of the place. Sometimes a woman may live there a year and no one will pay any attention to her. If she brings letters of introduction she may receive a formal call, but I have even known of cases where the letters were positively ignored.

Money the Sesame.

Money is the great open sesame. With it you may lack all the qualities, including good breeding, and you are all right. Without it you might as well give up. Foreigners are supposed to love American women for their

money, but that is not always true. If the woman is charming or, better still, talented they like her for her own sake, and I have known women to be received in the best set abroad when their own native village ignored them.

Hate Clyde  
New York.



A BEAUTIFUL RUSSIAN WOMAN.

Countess Orlov Davidoff, wife of the secretary of the Russian legation in England, is reputed to be the most beautiful Russian woman ever seen in Great Britain. She is the daughter of M. de Stael, the former brilliant representative of the Muscovite government at the court of St. James, and is very accomplished.



IN QUEEN LOUISE COSTUME.

The beautiful woman shown here in the costume worn by Queen Louise in the well known painting is Mrs. Cecil Bowness, a prominent member of the London smart set. Mrs. Bowness has been painted by several of the world's greatest artists, and at every new academy exhibition her portrait is one of the leading features.





Undertaker A. H. Birby,







# Union Men Attacked Non-Union Men in Cleveland

The strike had its origin in the institution of the three cent fare, the subject of political contention in Cleveland during several years past.

Chief Kohler was struck in the neck by a stone but was not seriously hurt.

The Musical Features  
Were Also First Class

The swing song in which the young

COL. JACKSON

The Merrimac orchestra held its first social and dance at Town hall, Chelmsford Centre, Wednesday night, and was a great success. A good attendance enjoyed a dance order of 1

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necessary to cut the companies to 3 men each, so that about 149 youngsters marched on to the floor to the applause of the tall-told audience. Major Bus-

music. The officers were: General manager, Bernard J. McArdle; assistant general manager, William Harrington; floor director, William J. Fahy; assistant floor director, Joseph F. McManimon.

The attraction at the Opera House May 19, will be Robert Edeson, who will be presented by Henry B. Hurd in his latest success, "Classmates." The

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 Eugene Sweet, monologist, is to bring the feature act for the week of May 10.

able to secure another of the hits of the day, "Give Me an American Girl," as it is rendered by Mr. Ruswell it well deserves the generous applause of the audience.

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THERE IS NO REASON WHY THERE SHOULD BE A BUSINESS DEPRESSION AT THE PRESENT TIME IN A COUNTRY WITH SUCH VAST RESOURCES AS THIS UNDOUBTEDLY POSSESSES. IT IS SIMPLY A LACK OF CONFIDENCE WHICH WAS FOOLISH IN ITS ORIGIN BUT IS NOW HAPPILY BEING OVERCOME.

THE TRADE PAPERS, INCLUDING THE WOOL AND COTTON REPORTER, A VERY RELIABLE AUTHORITY, SPEAK IN HOPEFUL TERMS OF THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK AND IN THESE SENTIMENTS THE OFFICIALS OF THE LOCAL MILLS FULLY CONCUR.

THERE IS NO ONE THING IN THE LOCAL SITUATION SO REASSURING TO THE PEOPLE EMPLOYED IN THE MILLS, AS WELL AS THE MERCHANTS OF THIS CITY, AS THE FACT THAT SEVERAL NEW MILL BUILDINGS ARE TO BE CONSTRUCTED HERE DURING THE COMING SUMMER. THE MILL CORPORATIONS USUALLY KNOW THEIR GROUND BEFORE THEY GO AHEAD WITH ENTERPRISES OF THIS KIND.

CONGRESSMAN BURTON IN A RECENT SPEECH IN CONGRESS HAS POINTED OUT THE VAST DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE PRESENT DEPRESSION AND THAT OF 1893. THE HOPEFUL SIGN IN THE PRESENT CASE WAS THE PROMPT CHECK TO THE NUMBER OF BANK FAILURES LAST APRIL. THE BANKS THAT HAVE FAILED HAVE, WITH FEW EXCEPTIONS, STARTED UP AGAIN AND THERE IS A TOTAL ABSENCE OF RAILROADS AND CORPORATIONS GOING INTO THE HANDS OF RECEIVERS AS WAS THE CASE IN 1893. BESIDES, THE NUMBER OF BUILDING PERMITS RECORDED IN THE VARIOUS CITIES FROM CHICAGO TO NEW ORLEANS INDICATES A SPIRIT OF CONFIDENCE SUCH AS WAS NOT TO BE FOUND EITHER IN 1893 OR 1894. THIS SPEAKS WELL FOR THE PRESENT OUTLOOK. IT INDICATES THAT THE DEPRESSION IS PRACTICALLY GONE BY AND THAT BUSINESS IS SLOWLY THOUGH SURELY GETTING BACK TO ITS NORMAL CONDITION. IT MUST BE REMEMBERED THAT THIS DEPRESSION HAS NOT BEEN CONFINED TO THIS COUNTRY ALONE BUT WAS WORLD-WIDE AND THIS COUNTRY WILL BE FIRST TO SHOW COMPLETE RECOVERY FROM A STATE OF BUSINESS STAGNATION.

## OBJECTIONABLE PICTURE SHOWS

IN MANY OF THE MOVING PICTURE EXHIBITIONS HERE AND ELSEWHERE, SOME OF THE PICTURES PRESENTED ARE HIGHLY OBJECTIONABLE. SOME SEEM TO ENCOURAGE GAMBLING. OTHERS CRUELTY, AND STILL OTHERS MURDER. ONE OF THE PICTURES PRESENTED SHOWED A MAN IN DEBT, HIS BUSINESS RUINED, GOING OUT TO PLAY THE RACE TRACK WHERE HE WINS A LARGE AMOUNT, PAYS OFF THE MORTGAGE ON HIS HOUSE AND AGAIN IS HAPPY. ANOTHER PICTURE SHOWN HERE QUITE RECENTLY SHOWED TWO ROOSTERS IN A MOST REALISTIC COMBAT, WHICH WAS CONTINUED UNTIL ONE FELL DEAD. THERE HAS ALSO BEEN PICTURES OF BULL FIGHTS IN WHICH ONE ANIMAL WAS FINALLY KILLED. BUT WORSE EVEN THAN THESE WAS A PICTURE OF A LABOR STRIKE IN WHICH ONE OF THE STRIKERS KILLED THE BOSS AND WON GREAT APPLAUSE.

NOW ALL THIS IS WRONG. ITS INFLUENCE UPON THE MINDS OF THE YOUNG IS BAD AND HENCE ALL SUCH OBJECTIONABLE FEATURES SHOULD BE ELIMINATED. TO INTRODUCE SUGGESTIVE PICTURES OR ONES OF DEMORALIZING OR BRUTALIZING TENDENCIES IS BUT TO PROSTITUTE AN INVENTION THAT COULD BE USED NOT ONLY TO AMUSE AND INSTRUCT BUT TO UPLIFT AND SAVE.

IN JUSTICE TO THE MOVING PICTURE THEATRES IT MUST BE SAID THAT QUITE FREQUENTLY SOME STRONG TEMPERANCE LESSONS ARE PRESENTED. SOME TOUCHING SCENES ILLUSTRATING FILIAL AFFECTION AND DOMESTIC VIRTUE. THESE ARE ALL GOOD AND IT IS DESIRABLE TO HAVE MORE OF THEM AND TO GUARD AGAINST LETTING ANY OBJECTIONABLE FEATURE INTO ANY OF THE COLLECTIONS.

LET US HOPE SOME PROPER CENSORSHIP WILL BE EXERCISED OVER THE MOVING PICTURE SHOWS BY THE MANAGERS IF BY NOBODY ELSE, IN ORDER THAT ALL THAT IS SUGGESTIVE OR DEMORALIZING IN ITS TENDENCY SHALL BE ELIMINATED.

### EDITORIAL COMMENT

#### PAY OF LETTER CARRIERS.

New Bedford Mercury: The letter carriers are disappointed that the item for the promotion of \$100 carriers to the \$120 grade has been cut \$500,000 in the last office appropriation bill as reported to the senate. The carriers have advanced the senate was committed to the advance and still have hope. The item was made by the senate committee, which took into consideration the fact that the bill gives the carriers thirty days annual leave, with pay. The carriers are understood to prefer the advance in pay to the leave of absence and a rebuff for the restoration of the appropriation as passed by the house, will be made on the floor of the senate.

#### IRISH NATIONAL FORESTERS.

At the meeting of Branch O'Connell-Crowley, Irish National Foresters, in Leather Workers' hall, Monday, L. H. O'Donnell presided. There was a full attendance of members and officers. The report of Secretary Hunt was read and accepted. It showed the branch to be in a flourishing condition. The new members to the degree and twelve propositions were received. The report of James O'Connell, chairman of the memorial committee, was accepted and it was voted to hold the memorial services on May 24, at which a local brother is invited to deliver the address on the matter. The case up the river for the foresters of Ireland. Remarks on the good of the order were made by Treasurer O'Connell and Chief Ranger H. O'Donnell, who closed "The Flag" with fine effect.

#### JAPAN'S FINANCIAL TROUBLES.

Springfield Union: The report that prominent Japanese are trying to negotiate heavy loans for their government in New York and London draws attention anew to the extraordinary financial conditions of the country now said to be so desperately in need of funds that it will pay 9 per cent interest. With its towering national ambition, its enormous expenditures of all its resources to build a powerful army and navy and maintain its subsidized industries, and its limited financial resources, Japan certainly presents an interesting study for students of history and economics. Most interesting of all is the question of Japan's future and how it will all end. In attempting to place itself in the class with first-class powers, Japan is much like a class power who attempts to live on his modern salary in the same manner as do wealthy merchants and manufacturers.

#### PEOPLE OF NOTE

Senator Flint of California might without great exaggeration be called the duke of the senate. He is easily the best dressed senator, not counting the dukes of the senate, but because they are in him better and are more correctly called to the mode.

One great aid to this sartorial perfection is the senator's handsome form. He is built like the Apollo Belvidere and his waist is as slender as any man's. He is a tall, thin, and a fair complexion. He is a fair complexion. He is a fair complexion. He is a fair complexion.

The senator's frock coat is particularly

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fascinating from the point of view of the expert naturalist. It is easily the most "correct" in the senate, and there are some very modern dresses in "The American House of Lords."

Commissioner Binham of the New York police department said a few emphatic words recently as to the duties of a captain of police. The occasion was the trial of Capt. Steve McDermott of the East Twenty-second street station on charges of failing to suppress a riotous mob in his district. "I want to impress on this man and every other captain on the force that the city does not pay them to sit at their desks in the station houses and wait for citizens to come in with complaints. It is their duty to get out and hustle in their precincts, to know what is going on, to locate gambling places and poolrooms and disorderly places and shut them up. That is what they are paid for. And if they're not willing to do this we will find men who are," said the commissioner.

Governor Campbell, of Texas, won his nomination for governor, Sunday, when he was elected by a large majority. Along the same line as William J. Bryan won his first presidential nomination, Campbell was one of four candidates in one of the bitterest fights the state of Texas had ever known. Senator Bailey was leading the fight for him. The convention hall was tense with excitement. The crucial moment had come to cast the ballot. Just then the shrill notes of a life were heard down the street, and the rattle and roll of a drum. Far and faint they seemed, but it was the air of Lucknow. Bailey sprang to his feet and three hands on high and shouted: "Listen! Don't you hear? The Campbells are coming!"

Never came the music; the faint tones took on body and volume, and then down the aisle of the convention hall shrilled the life and up to the ceiling rushed the thunder of the drums. In the wake followed a frenzied, mob-like mob.

The Campbells are coming—tra-la-lah! they shrieked and shouted, and with the burst of the melody the nomination was carried.

Governor Howard, of Florida, has the record of having appointed two United States senators within a period of four months. It has probably never been equaled before. On the death of Senator Mallory last December he appointed William J. Bryan to the vacancy. Bryan lived but four months, and he had to fill the vacancy once more, which he did by appointing William L. Milton, the present incumbent.

"When I appointed Bryan," said Governor Howard, "he was a clean-cut, alert, bright young fellow of great intelligence and industry. I looked for a great future for him. When he started

to assume his official duties he told me that he hoped his career would vindicate my appointment, and that he hoped to die in the senate. He did, poor fellow, but sooner than either he or I expected.

Following story about his famous fellow statesman, William J. Bryan, early in his career Bryan made a tour of Nebraska, speaking for the democratic candidate. He attacked the republican candidate with a bitterness and vigor seldom equaled. The republican won. After the election there was a great harvest home festival in Lincoln, at which Mr. Bryan was asked to speak. He sat on the stage hot and uncomfortable, facing the man he had called every name in the calendar. It was one of those functions where some one reads the Declaration of Independence, and then some one played a solo on a cornet, and again some one sang.

When it came Bryan's turn the presiding officer stepped to the front of the platform and said:

"Now I wish to introduce to you your brilliant young fellow townsman, William J. Bryan, who will play."

Here he stopped, leaned over and whispered to Bryan in a stage whisper that none could fail to hear:

"Do you speak or sing?"

Senator Stevens started things when he moved to amend the bill by striking out that section which provides for the sale of pure milk below the standard and if the vessels in which it is sold are marked with a guaranteed analysis of what it contains.

"This bill, providing a milk standard, and in the next section permitting milk to be sold below that standard, nullifies itself," Senator Stevens said. "It practically removes the standard altogether and opens up possibilities which neither the state board of health nor the board of agriculture is willing to endorse."

Senator Norcross of New Jersey did not agree with Senator Stevens. "If this bill is amended," he said, "as suggested it will mean simply that the man who owns a Holstein cow will be obliged to go out of business or take the risk of being stamped as a criminal if he sells his milk. Nobody claims that the milk of a healthy Holstein cow is not as good as that given by a healthy Jersey, and physicians declare that for the purpose of feeding infants and invalids it is better. I am for pure milk of any standard, but I want it pure."

Senator Jenney of Hyde Park favored the amendment. "It would be practically impossible to secure a conviction if the bill became a law in its present form," he said. "If we are to pass any law we should exact a standard as just to the producer as possible, at the same time protecting the rights of the consumer."

Senator Treadway defended the pure milk under a guarantee, but the senate voted, 15 to 10, in favor of adopting the amendment, after which the bill was passed to be engrossed and was sent along to the house, where the real fight upon it will take place.

#### BIRTHDAY PARTY

MASTER DANA K. HART RECEIVED MANY GIFTS.

There was a pretty little party at 114 Chapel street, Thursday evening, when about 30 young friends of Master Dana K. Hart gathered at his home to participate in the celebration of his 7th birthday. The usual games were played by the young people and there were instrumental and vocal selections by Mrs. Wm. Shackleton and Mr. John McKinley. Miss Theresa Hinley, a very charming little Miss, and Master Dana contributed recitations. Refreshments were served during the evening by Mrs. John McKinley and Miss Margaret McKinley. Master Dana received many pretty and useful presents during the evening. The little folks started for home about 10 o'clock all agreeing they had spent a pleasant evening and wishing the young host many more just such pleasant amusements.

#### BROMO SELTZER

ITS SALE AFFECTED BY THE NEW LAW.

As a result of the new pure food and drug law which stipulates that when a druggist sells drugs containing acetanilid he must mark the package containing the word "drugs" in prominent characters, many local druggists refuse to sell Bromo Seltzer except in the original bottle.

In order to comply with the law in serving Bromo Seltzer in a glass it would be necessary to use the amount of the drug which is stamped on the glass. The use of the drug in Bromo Seltzer is back to be dropped.

#### GRAND OFFICERS

ROYAL ARCADE.

On June 2nd, Brother George H. Vail, grand master, will pay an official visit to Industry Council, R. A. He will be accompanied by John J. Hagan, grand secretary.

#### CALLAN LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMER

Moderate Rate Passenger Service

Leave Lowell, May 20, 27, 31, 1908. June 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 1908. June 7, 14, 21, 28, 1908. June 11, 18, 25, 1908. June 15, 22, 29, 1908. June 19, 26, 1908. June 23, 30, 1908. June 27, 1908. June 30, 1908. July 4, 1908. July 7, 1908. July 11, 1908. July 14, 1908. July 18, 1908. July 21, 1908. July 25, 1908. July 28, 1908. August 1, 1908. August 4, 1908. August 7, 1908. August 11, 1908. August 14, 1908. August 18, 1908. August 21, 1908. August 25, 1908. August 28, 1908. September 1, 1908. September 4, 1908. September 7, 1908. September 11, 1908. September 14, 1908. September 18, 1908. September 21, 1908. September 25, 1908. September 28, 1908. October 1, 1908. October 4, 1908. October 7, 1908. October 11, 1908. October 14, 1908. October 18, 1908. October 21, 1908. October 25, 1908. October 28, 1908. November 1, 1908. November 4, 1908. November 7, 1908. November 11, 1908. November 14, 1908. November 18, 1908. November 21, 1908. November 25, 1908. November 28, 1908. December 1, 1908. 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## PLEADED GUILTY

Seven Men Implicated  
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SAVING \$50,000 TO  
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Because Men Changed  
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Two of the men indicted by the Middlesex grand jury for murder yesterday noon to that of guilty of murder in the second degree. They are Giuseppe Zeccolo of Watertown, charged with murdering Charles Reed in that town, and Ferdinand Di Ribasso of Somerville, charged with murdering his wife.

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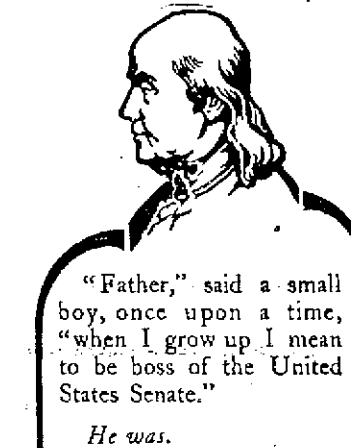
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A special meeting of the town of Westford will be held Monday night, May 25. There are seven articles in the warrant, but the most important one is article three which reads as follows:

"To see if the town will vote to enlarge the Forest Village schoolhouse, as called and raised and appropriate, or borrow money to meet the indebtedness to be incurred there by and act in relation to the same."

Members of the select board have said that the expense of the town will be about \$200 for the repairs needed and construction of the two rooms.

Another article in the warrant of importance is relative to the citizens' piling wood, timber, lumber, brush or stones by the highways and ways. The other articles is to see if the town will vote to discontinue several back roads.

STOLE MONEY

IN ORDER TO PAY DOCTOR'S BILL.

NEWTON, May 16.—That she might pay the doctor who was attending an invalid sister, was the reason given by Miss Emma C. Eastman, 35, of Maple street, Waltham, in the Newton police court yesterday morning for appropriating money from her employers, the James S. Kennedy company of Newton Upper Falls.

She said that out of her salary she could not continue to have a physician care for her sister and did not consider the consequence of this fact was borne out by Miss Eastman arranging with her brother to make restitution for the money.

Judge Kennedy, although pleased with the idea of restoring the money, said that it did not expiate the crime, but consented to a postponement of the case for one week, and allowed Miss Eastman to be released on \$100 bail.

Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY

ELECTED OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

At a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Craig yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. M. Craig; vice presidents, Mrs. Arvid Kinney, Mrs. C. T. Opton, Mrs. A. B. Diller; secretary, Mrs. O. S. Waeber; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. H. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Woodman; chairman of collectors, Mrs. Herbert Davis; board of directors, the above officers, and Mrs. F. K. Stearns, Mrs. E. E. Ferrin, Mrs. Charles Meader, Mrs. Burton H. Wiggin, Mrs. E. J. Noble, Mrs. Fred Woodies, Mrs. C. O. Wilson.

SEEK COADJUTOR

ARCHBISHOP O'CONNELL WILL PRESIDE AT MEETING.

Archbishop O'Connell will preside at a meeting of the consistory and permanent council of the diocese at Burlington, Vt., next Tuesday, when the names of three clergymen will be selected for consideration as bishop coadjutor of the diocese. The bishops of the New England province will at a later meeting approve these three or select three others. The Holy See makes the final choice. The coadjutor will have the right of succession to the present bishop of Burlington, the Rt. Rev. Dr. John S. Michael, who has been ill for months and who has petitioned Rome to give him a coadjutor.

FRANK SANTRY

DISLOCATED HIS SHOULDER WHILE POOLING.

Frank Santry, aged 28 years, employed at the St. Charles hotel, while fooling yesterday was thrown and suffered a dislocated shoulder. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to St. John's hospital.

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THE ALDRICH BILL

Was Substituted for the

Creeland Measure

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Aldrich currency bill was substituted for the Creeland bill in the senate yesterday and the transfer took but little longer than was required in the calling of the roll. The effect is to throw both the senate and house bills into conference. The managers in that part of the senate, who were immediately appointed, are Messrs. Aldrich, Allison, Hale, Daniel and Teller. The dispatch with which the agreement was reached is a striking example of what can be done in the closing days of a session of congress.

A meeting of the senate committee on finance was held in the forenoon and a decision to amend the house bill by substituting the measure passed by the senate several weeks ago was reached without difficulty. Chairman Aldrich was authorized to make the report, which he did as soon as the bill passed by the house yesterday. The bill had been "messaged over."

Some changes were made in the senate bill by the committee, however, and it was necessary to have a new print of it prepared before it could be called for consideration. Three amendments were confined to the elimination of matter incorporated in the original Aldrich bill after it was reported from the committee. The provisions struck out were:

The use of bonds of the insular government of Porto Rico, bonds of the government of the Philippines, and bonds of the city of Manila, as securities for the issuance of emergency circulation.

The requirement that national banking association, located outside of Central reserve cities, shall hold in their own vaults four fifths of the reserves required by law, either in lawful money or securities named in the bill, but that two thirds of the amount shall be in cash.

The prohibition against a national bank loaning money or investing in the stock of corporations, the officers or directors of which are officers or directors of the bank making the loan or investment.



## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—In Dracut, 17 acre farm, good house and barn, fine hennerly, some fruit, excellent chance if you want a home. Price only \$1250. G. L. Hubbard, Wyman's Exchange.

**FOR SALE**—7-room house on Manchester st., price \$1400. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

**FOR SALE**—7-room house on Gorham rd., near London st., price \$1400. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

**FOR SALE**—Two tenement house in Melvidere, 6 rooms in each tenement. Furnace heat and open plumbing. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

**FOR SALE**—Modern 8-room cottage in Fayetteville, in first class condition, excellent location, will sell cheap, as I am leaving state. Terms easy. George Davis, 51 Starbird st., Fayetteville.

**FOR SALE**—8-room house at Tyles park. New, bath, steam heat, set tubs, tile roof, cement cellar, 800 feet of land. Fine situation. Never been occupied. \$500. Eugene G. Russell, 497 Middlesex st., near Depot.

**FOR SALE**—4-ten. house near Normal

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FOR SALE—New house in Centerville  
near 11th st. 6 rooms, set tubs, pantry,  
cemented cellar, bath, hot and cold wa-  
ter. Elegantly finished. \$2500. Eugene  
G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—5-room house near Var-  
num st. in Centerville. Bath, furnace,  
cemented cellar, open plumbing, fruit  
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and hardwood floors. \$2000. Eugene G. Rus-  
sell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

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**FOR SALE**—House on North st., six bedrooms, good repair inside and out. Inquire of Edward Martin, grocer, 531 Gorham st.

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**FOR SALE**

**BOSTON** Moving Picture Parlor for sale, Washington st., old established partnership dissolution, weekly receipts average \$300. Capable unlimited development. Rare opportunity. 13503 to quick

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 West Adams st., Lowell.  
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 Mrs. Riley, 472 Central st.  
 FOR SALE—A canvas canoe, in fine  
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**O. F. PRENTISS**



# SOME TITLED EUROPEAN YACHTSWOMEN

**R**ULE Britannia, rule the wave!" warbles the loyal Briton, and, though other nations may scoff at his enthusiasm, Britannia goes right on ruling the wave. There is no doubt that the English are the greatest race of seamen in the world, quite as great in their way as the ancient Phoenicians, and perhaps one of the secrets of their greatness is this enthusiasm and the fact that their women are, so many of them, fine sailors. Nowhere else in the world will you find so many women devoted to aquatic sports and excelling in them. It was Great Britain that gave the world a marine heroine, Grace Darling, and you will never find a finer, sturdier stock than the fisherwomen of her northern islands.

Even the great ladies of England are proud of their skill as navigators. Some of the famous beauties of England have won their matchless competitions in contests with the wind and waves in the seacoast villages in which their earliest years were spent. The salt sea is a wonderful invigorator of the skin and its ozone a tonic unexcelled by anything in the pharmacopoeia.

It was the open air life and the salt breezes of Jersey that gave Lily Langtry her marvelous skin. One of the best amateur sailors in England is Mrs. Cornwallis West, whose daughters, the Princess of Pless and the Duchess of Westminster, are never happier than when aboard a yacht. Mrs. George Keppel, now prime favorite at the English court, is the daughter of Admiral Sir Archibald Edmondstone and comes of a race of sailors. The Marchioness of Londonderry, celebrated for her beauty and jewels, is seen at her best in yachting costume. When at Mount Stewart, a favorite country seat, one of her ladyship's favorite recreations is yachting. The Marchioness of Ormonde, whose husband is commodore of the Royal Yacht squadron, is one of the most accomplished of aristocratic yachtswomen. Her two daughters, Lady Constance Butler and Lady Beatrice Pole-Carew, famous beauties of the London smart set, are as fond of the water as mermaids. A cold plunge into the sea every morning is said to be part of the day's routine when they are on board their father's crack yacht, the *Mirage*. The wife and daughter of Lord Dunraven, who twice equipped yachts to try to win the international cup from America, accompany the earl on many of his yachting expeditions. The Duchess of Sutherland, who does so many things well, is devoted to yachting. So, too, are the dowager Countess de la Warr and her daughter, Lady Mary Sackville. Lady de la Warr sails a yacht of thirty-three tons named the *Violet*. The Duchess of Bedford, who is a most enthusiastic sportswoman, can manage a boat as well as most skippers and is one of the most interesting figures at the annual Cowes regatta. Lady Lonsdale, the wife of the sporting earl, shares her husband's tastes in regard to sport, her favorite recreation being yachting. The Duchess of Leeds, whose husband is one of the heads of the Royal yacht squadron, is a most retiring English peeress, indifferent to London society



COUNTRESS OF ANNESLEY

and preferring her books at one of her husband's splendid country seats in the gay city. The duchess is a sister of the Earl of Durham, one of the richest nobles in the "north country" and of a race that knows and loves the sea. Her brother, Sir Hedworth Lambton, is the commander of the king's yacht, the *Victoria and Albert*, a much prized pleasure by the officers of the royal navy. One of the most popular of English beauties, Georgiana, Lady Dudley, is a clever yachtswoman, as is her daughter, Lady Wolverton, the two scarcely ever missing a gathering of the Royal Yacht squadron. Lady Llan-gattock is never happier than when afloat on her yacht, the *Santa Maria*. The furnishings of this vessel, which are especially handsome for an English yacht, were designed by Lady Llan-gattock herself. Lady Evelyn Guinness, wife of the Hon. Walter Edward Guinness, a scion of the rich English brewing family of that name, has a great penchant for the sea. Her husband is interested in the races at Cowes, and she is herself an excellent sailor. She is the third daughter of the Earl of Buchan, and her husband is the third son of Viscount Iveagh.

One of the most famous of the English yachtswomen is the lovely Countess of Annesley, who spent her honeymoon on board her husband's ship, the *Sea Bird*. Lady Annesley is a successful fisher woman as well as sailor. The Countess Carnarvon, remembered pleasantly in this country, which she visited with her husband in 1902, is a yachtswoman of repute. Although the Carnarvons have several fine estates, they spend much of their time on board their yacht.

No list of English yachtswomen

would be complete without the name of Mrs. G. A. Schenley, who can handle a boat as well as any old salt. Although comparatively unknown in America, the Schenleys have American blood in their veins, the mother of Mr. Schenley having been a Pittsburg heiress who eloped with a Captain Schenley and thus transferred to English ownership some of the most valuable tracts of real estate in the city of Pittsburg. These had been handed down in the family from an Indian trader said to have first made his appearance around old Fort Duquesne about the time of the French and Indian war and to have been extremely thrifty in his dealings with the Indians. Schenley park, the principal breathing spot of the Smoky City, which extends over a large tract of land in the rear of Mr. Carnegie's library and technical school, was the gift of the Schenleys to the city. The Schenleys still keep up an acquaintance with their Pittsburg relatives, who include the Dennyys, the O'Haras and the Darlings, but in most particulars they have become thoroughly Anglicized and in nothing more so than in their devotion to yachting.

It is natural that yachting should be a fashionable sport of the English aristocracy, for royalty itself sets the example. Queen Alexandra is a thorough daughter of the sea kings in her devotion to the ocean. She is said to be happiest on board a ship, and nothing renews her health and good looks so much as a cruise in the royal yacht *Victoria and Albert*, which has been fitted up with every appliance that can make it comfortable and convenient. Her daughters, the Princess Louise, Duchess of Fife, Princess Victoria and Queen Maud of Norway, are all able

LADY EVELYN GUINNESS



COUNTRESS OF CARNARVON

sailors. The Connaughts, although they are not rich enough to own a very pretentious craft, are always delighted with the opportunity to take a cruise. Princess Henry of Battenberg, a thorough Englishwoman in tastes and habits, is one of the most ardent yachtswomen in Europe, her splendidly

equipped vessel, the *Thistle*, being known in every port of the Mediterranean. The late Queen Victoria also spent considerable time on the water, but her majesty was easily satisfied, and her yachts were not particularly handsome or up to date, and when



PRINCESS HENRY OF PLESS



LADY LONDONDERRY

King Edward fell heir to them they were promptly retired from active duty. The late of Wight, where Queen Victoria passed so many happy summers, is the favorite yachting resort of royalty. In the season all the yacht-owning royalties of Europe may be met there.

Cowes week is the great event in European yachting circles. The regatta is a splendid function, in which women play a prominent and picturesque part, even to contesting for prizes. To this little town on the Isle of Wight in the first week of August repair every year the vessels of all the smart set of the yachting fraternity. The fact that it is the headquarters of the Royal Yacht squadron, which includes all the crack vessels of Great Britain's yachting aristocracy, has made the town famous, and the regatta is its chief source of income. Various races are run for prizes offered by individuals or clubs, but the most prized trophies are the cups offered by the king, the German emperor, the Royal Yacht squadron and the town of Cowes. All the finest vessels compete for these prizes, the race beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning and being announced by the firing of a gun from the castle, which is now the clubhouse of the Royal Yacht squadron. All the craft in the harbor are crowded with women in trim costumes, and the results of the races are followed with the most intense excitement. The lawn of the castle during the afternoons of Cowes week is crowded with the women relatives and friends of members, but the entire is very difficult for those not included in the exclusive set of English society. Indeed, for a newcomer to be seen on the lawn at Cowes is enough to announce to the world that he or she has arrived socially.

The rich American's love for yachting has of course been fostered by the devotion of the English to this sport. It is even in its simplest form an expensive recreation, for a small yacht costs well up into the thousands, and the expense of maintaining it is very great. However, many Americans are willing to spend this money, for nothing brings them so quickly and closely into touch with the leaders of the old world aristocracy or even royalty itself than to own crack yachts and have the reputation of being smart sailors. One lesson, however, might be learned from the English. While no expense is spared in making their yachts trim and fast, luxurious furnishings are a secondary consideration. Indeed, the yachts even of royalty are, from the standpoint of the American new rich, fitted out with great simplicity. Simplicity, too, characterizes the yachting costumes of English yachtswomen. Serviceable serges and the Irish tweeds popularized by the Marchioness of Londonderry, who is a great worker on behalf of the Irish industries, are the popular materials. Trim sailor hats and substantial boots and gloves are essential features of the modish yachting costumes. Trains and the frills and frumpiness sometimes seen on American yachtswomen are considered bad form by the English ladies.

WINIFRED WORTHINGTON.

## Making Home Happy Not a One Sided Affair

**W**HEN you hear about an unhappy marriage just remember there are two sides to it. To read the women's magazines, especially the recent numbers, you would imagine that women alone had it in their power to make home happy.

Not a bit of it! A woman, no matter how hard she works, certainly cannot make a real home unless her husband helps her. A man who comes

home bearing his business troubles with him will spoil the best of dinners and the most pleasant of evenings.

You see plenty of articles advising the wife to appear always well dressed, but what about the husband? How does he appear in his wife's eyes when he lounges around in his old coat or perhaps in no coat at all?

A woman is blamed if she talks of her household troubles at the dinner table. She must be bright, entertaining, chatty, say the oracles. But what

of the man? He comes home with a grouch. The market has gone wrong, and during the evening meal he sits behind his newspaper scanning the

Scanning the closing quotations.



closing quotations, while his poor little wife sits in silence. What about keeping his worries to himself, eh?

Then, talking about tempers, what of the husband's disposition? Is it always even? Men have "sulks" often, that women, and they show their displeasure openly where a woman's training would teach her to conceal it.

The "Manly" Way.

A man expects absolute sympathy from his wife. She must laugh when he laughs, weep when he weeps. She is expected to listen to his most long-winded remarks "intelligently." But what about the sympathy he gives her? It seems to me it is a very risky quality. If he happens to be interested in what she is saying, why, well and good, but if he isn't he will like as not tell her quite crossly not to be silly, and why does she tell him all that stuff and nonsense?

And, then, too, a man lives for his comfort. If Bridget spoils the soup he feels distinctly aggrieved. His wife suffers from the servant's carelessness quite as much as he does, but she conceals her feelings on the subject.

And, then, what about loneliness as a factor toward making unhappiness in married life?

Suppose a wife were to go off nearly every evening and leave her husband alone. What, I ask you, would be the result as far as he was concerned? I'd hate to say.

Husbands do this sort of thing continually to their wives. Can you blame the women for rebellion? And yet they are called every name in the calendar if they object either forcibly or otherwise.

All I have to say is this: If a man wants to go out evening after evening by himself he has no business to get married. Marriage is for companionship as much as for anything else. The burden of its success or failure should not be placed on the woman's shoulders alone. It rests a good bit with

the man. He should see to it that she is kept contented and happy, just as she sees to it that his house is run in good order.

In matrimony there is no room for selfishness either on the man or the woman's part. Making home happy should certainly not be a one sided affair.

The Beauty of Simplicity.

What dreams the new satin evening gowns are with their long, classical lines and clinging, trailing skirts! There was one at the theater the other night of pale turquoise blue, and it was guileless of any trimming save a narrow ball fringe of silver. The cut and the draping were the secret of the gown's success.

While I am speaking on the clothes question I want to impress on you the beauty of simplicity, especially when you can't afford really handsome and rich things.

Take the matter of fancy waists, for example. How I hate the elaborate waist made of cheap net and cheaper lace one sees universally exploited in the shop windows! As a matter of fact, no woman of refinement wears one of them, but this is what she does have.

You know, of course, that charming net with a square mesh—flirt net, it is called. Well, you have no idea what dainty ideas it makes, and, let me tell you, it is the very latest thing.

A friend recently showed me one which was sent home from a Fifth Avenue shop, and my one of you, my dear readers, could make one like it in a short time. It is very simple. The material is white flax net.

The front and back are laid in six half inch tucks. The front part is hidden under three rows of volantes laid out flat and finished on each with three tiny satin buttons. The high collar also has a touch of gold in the shape of antique beads, while the three-quarter sleeves are charmingly finished with wide cuffs, also outlined with the tiny gilt beads. This is made over a cheap silk foundation, and if the gold beads and buttons are removed it will wash perfectly.

Now, could anything be simpler or at the same time daintier?

By this way, eoru laces and nets are rather on the wane just now. There is a deep partially being shown for pure white.

I have seen a good many overskirts, but in most cases they have been rather pretty than otherwise because a bordered material was used. It is a mistake to suppose that only tall women can wear overskirts. Every woman can if the right proportion is observed, and that is where the value of a good dressmaker comes in. She studies the proportions of her clients and doesn't make the mistake of a single inch because she knows that inch may make or mar the entire effect of a costume.

Another man has something to say. "Women are marrying later in life," he wails.

Well, my dear sir, I, for one, don't deplore it. Women need all the sense and all the experience they can get before marching to the altar.

A Grave Mistake.

I wish people could be stopped from writing articles on how to go to Europe on next to nothing and that sort of foolishness.

A lot of women save their pennies and go to Europe only to get "stuck" there for lack of proper means. It's no use. You can't have a good time abroad if you have to keep fighting for cheap rates all the time. You don't want to wait in line for a week before you have plenty of money before you cross the ocean. Take the small sum mentioned by the optimistic writer on cheap European travel and spend it in this country. You will have a much better time for the money.

American Snobbishness.

Before I close I want to make a few remarks about American snobbishness. We are supposed to be a democratic nation, and yet our women show a spirit of snobbishness which is unequalled even among the titled set abroad.

Indeed, I have found women of title to be often quite snobbish in their manners. They don't need to put on airs. Every one knows who they are. It is in small towns that the newcomer experiences the critical attitude

of the smart set of the place. Sometimes a woman may live there a year and no one will pay attention to her. If she brings letters of introduction she may receive a formal call, but I have even known of cases where the letters were positively ignored.

Money the Sesame.

Money is the great open sesame. With it you may lack all the qualities, including good breeding, and you are all right. Without it you might as well give up. Foreigners are supposed to love American women for their

money, but that is not always true. If the woman is charming or, better still, talented they like her for her own sake, and I have known women to be received in the best set abroad when their own native village ignored them.

Hate Clyde  
New York.



A BEAUTIFUL RUSSIAN WOMAN.

Countess Orloff Davidoff, wife of the secretary of the Russian legation in England, is reputed to be the most beautiful Russian woman ever seen in Great Britain. She is the daughter of M. de Guel, the former brilliant representative of the Moscow government at the court of St. James, and is very accomplished.



IN QUEEN LOUISE COSTUME.

The beautiful woman shown here in the costume worn by Queen Louise in the well known painting is Mrs. Cecil Powers, a prominent member of the London smart set. Mrs. Powers has been painted by several of the world's greatest artists, and at every new academy exhibition her portrait is one of the leading features.

## TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

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## LOCAL NEWS

Best of work at Tobin's Printery. Undertaker Finnegan, Davis square, Tel. 2127.

J. F. Donohue, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Home grown trees, shrubs, vines, etc., seeds and flowers of all kinds. McManis, 6 Prescott street.

Make home attractive. Let us paint and paper your faded and dingy rooms. Killbridge & Co., 205 Central.

Miss Annie Wilson, of Frederickton, N. B. is visiting her father, Silas W. Wilson of 65 Appleton street. Miss Wilson is a student of the Frederickton Normal school.

## A NEW INDUSTRY.

Ralph Hayden has leased the property at the corner of Lincoln and Tanner streets for the manufacture of cement blocks to be known as the "Hayden block." He has established an office in Boston and already has several men at work. He has several orders ahead and expects to do considerable work at Chelsea.

In addition to the block machines and mixing machines, the very latest machinery will be put in for the manufacture of cement, sinks, wash trays, window sills, window caps and ornaments of all kinds. A pump will be installed for drawing water from Hale's brook.

Contracts will be taken for the building of houses from foundation to finish.

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**Heirs' Sale of Real Estate at Public Auction**  
THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1908, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.  
AT NO. 405 SCHOOL STREET, COR. SAWTELL PLACE.

I will sell in three parcels to settle the estate for the heirs of the late Mrs. Margaret O'Brien. The youngest heir having reached his 21st year. I have instructed Mr. Farrell, the auctioneer, to sell to the person who will bid the highest and comply with the conditions, a two and a half story house with store and tenement, No. 45 School street, corner of Sawtell place and two cottage houses, Nos. 5 and 11 Sawtell place and all the stock and fixtures consisting of a full line of groceries, tea, coffee, flour, canned goods, spices, showcases, scales, butter refrigerator, etc.

Lot 1 consists of a two and a half story house of nine rooms and a store being No. 45 School street, corner of Sawtell place and contains 315 square feet of land, more or less, has a frontage on School street of 35 feet and 35 feet on Sawtell place; the first floor has a store and two living rooms with sheds attached, has two rooms on the second floor and two large, airy, well lighted attic rooms above; has city water, gas, water closets, and good sewerage. The rooms are high, bright, well-lighted; the property is in good repair inside and out. The tenement has been occupied by the O'Brien family which has conducted the store for a number of years and has always had a good profitable business and is doing so now and would not think of selling but the estate must be sold and divided among the heirs. This property is a corner lot on a good street close to the many large mills and work shops where a good business has always been had and where the O'Brien family has made thousands of dollars. This sale does not want to be overlooked where a home and a good business can be had. Come and look this property over and buy for yourself.

Lot 2 is a cottage house of six rooms and 1194 square feet of land, more or less, fronting on a 14-foot passageway that leads off Sawtell place, and is to be ever kept open. This cottage rented for \$5 per month to the good tenants, has city water, good sewerage, all concrete, all the attic, the building is in first class repair inside and out and is a snug home for some one.

Lot 3 is also a cottage house of six rooms and 1194 square feet of land, more or less, rents for \$5 per month to good tenants, is never idle, has city water, good sewerage, all concrete, opens on a 14-foot passageway, and is in good repair inside and out. This property is never idle and for a first class investment property it would be hard to find its equal in Lowell. Today, don't bid. This opportunity goes without knocking it over. The location, the business that is there, the many mills and work shops in the neighborhood of this property ought to find many buyers. The property can be seen at any time by calling at the store and I will be pleased to show you the three tracts.

Terms of sale: \$100 must be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale at once as the property is struck off on No. 1. \$100 on No. 2 and No. 3 each. Stock in store will be cash.

Per Order **MR. JOHN O'BRIEN,**  
Guardian for the Heirs.

## ON SCHOOL PLANS

Contractors Figuring at Builders' Exchange

TENEMENT BLOCK FOR SALEM ST.

New Industry Started in This City

The plans for the new Highland school and Centralville fire house are at the rooms of the Builders' Exchange where contractors are engaged on them preparing figures on the various contracts. Boarder at city hall has it that the award of the contracts will be closely watched by certain members of the city council who are interested in a story in circulation to the effect that a well known contractor and builder was unduly interested in the matter of the acceptance of the plans.

The Dempsey estate contemplates the erection of a 12 tenement block in Salem street.

Dr. Hilton is installing a modern heating plant for the Mazzadnan Temple. From the printed accounts of some of their services a heating plant would appear unnecessary. Welch Bros. have the contract.

Paul Vigeant, through E. G. Russell, has sold to Ephraim Pelletier two tenement houses aggregating 17 tenements and 7000 feet of land at 24-32 Decatur street the price being in the vicinity of \$20,000. The property rents for \$2000 annually.

## REAL ESTATE

TRANSACTIONS FOR THE WEEK  
ENDING MAY 15, 1908.

LOWELL.

Francis Aboderio to Fred G. McGregor, land and buildings on Queen street, \$1.

Walter H. Hutchins to Viola C. Kinney, land and buildings, corner Humphrey and Eighteenth streets, \$1.

Lizzie McClean Carney, et al., to James T. O'Flahavan, land on Plymouth street and Colonial avenue, \$1.

James T. O'Flahavan to Mary O'Flahavan, land corner Plymouth street and Colonial avenue, \$1.

John W. Robinson to Gertrude E. Whiteley, land on Pine street, \$1.

Paul Vigeant to Ephraim Pelletier, land and buildings on Decatur street, \$1.

Charles A. Blodgett's estate to Frank E. McNabb, several lots, \$100.

Frank E. McNabb to James F. Sullivan, several lots, \$1.

Warren A. Sherburne to Charles W. Webster, Bear meadow, \$1.

William Henry Seymour, et al., to Sherman C. Day, et al., land and buildings on Midland street, \$1.

Henry W. Ashton, et al., to James Shaw, et al., land and buildings on Burnaby street, \$1.

Edward H. Wason, et al., to George B. Wason, land on Middlesex canal, \$1.

Edward H. Wason, et al., to Robert S. Wason, land and buildings on Hudson and Lawrence streets and Lakeview avenue, \$1.

Jacques Boisvert to William Parent, land on Beauville street, \$1.

Jacques Boisvert to Agnes Pouliot, land on Dana street, \$1.

Hannah M. Candee to Charles I. Hood, land on Clark road, \$1.

BILLERICA.

Hannah Kenney to Mary Kenney, land and buildings on Call street, \$1.

Edgar P. Sellow of Walter A. Hanson, land at Riverdale, \$1.

CHELMSFORD.

Emma E. Proctor, et al., to Frank P. Brown, land on Westford road, \$1.

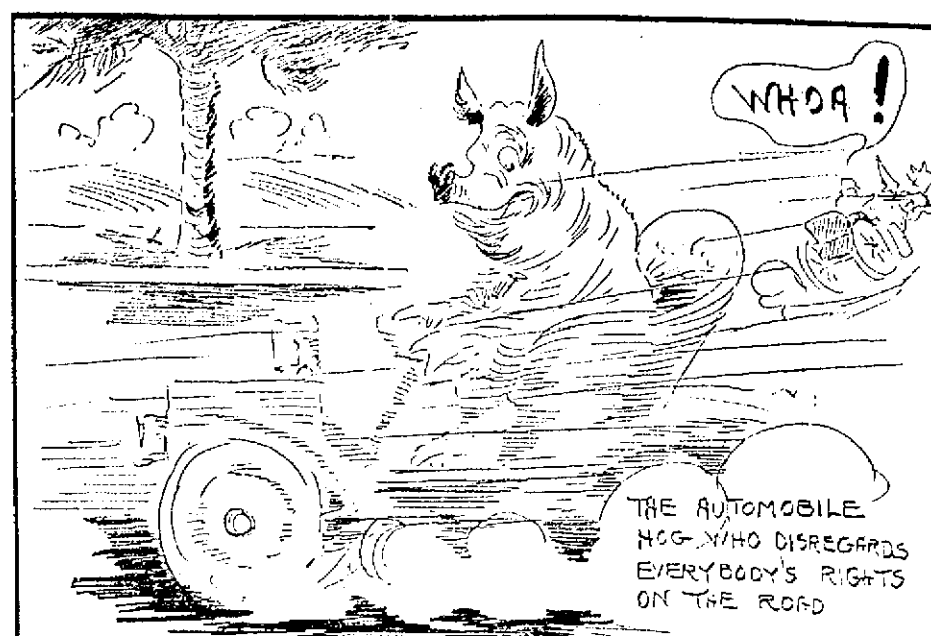
Percy Parker to County of Middlesex, land on Princeton street, \$1.

Estelle S. Perham to Lillie E. Watt, land on Evergreen street, \$1.

Cheimsford Foundry Co. to A. Wolf, land and buildings on Middlesex turnpike and Foundry street, \$100.

James Adams, land on Newfield and Adams streets, \$1.

Emma M. Adams to Fred E. Varney, land corner Newfield and Adams streets, \$1.



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Sylvia P. Bowers to County of Middlesex, land adjoining truant school land, \$1.

Joseph Bowers to County of Middlesex, land adjoining truant school land, \$1.

DRACUT.

Elwyn W. Lovejoy, et al., trustee, to Frank O. Stafford, land at Elmsmere, \$1.

Minnie E. Crawford to Esther Crawford Wilder, land corner Parker and School streets, \$1.

Esther Crawford Wilder to Minnie E. Crawford, land east of Parker avenue, \$1.

Frank Sovesque to Pierre Levesque, land at Lakeview Terrace, \$1.

TEWKSBURY.

William H. Adis, trustee to Benvenuto Pietro, et al., land at Oakland Park, \$1.

Arthur J. Thompson to John F. Coleman, Sorrell Field lot, \$1.

TYNGSBORO.

Benjamin O. Bird to Lizzie M. Moody, land near Old Mill road, \$1.

George H. Davis to Lizzie M. Moody, land and buildings on Mill road, \$1.

Henry W. Ashton, et al., to Harry

Shaw, land near Willow Dale avenue, \$1.

WESTFORD.

J. G. Abbott's trustee to C. A. Blodgett, et al., land on Millstone road, \$1.

WILMINGTON.

J. Sheldon Sargent to Laura Spencer Hale, land on Parker street, \$1.

Blaisdell, land on Parker street, \$1.

FUNERALS

WESTON—The funeral of Mrs. Annie K. Weston took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Cleveland, 32 C street, and many friends attended. The service was conducted by Rev. C. E. Fisher of the First Universalist church. There were many beautiful tributes sent by friends. The bearers were F. E. Cleveland, Arthur Cleveland, F. E. Cleveland, Jr., and G. M. Clark. Burial was in the Edison cemetery, J. A. Weinbeck in charge.

TAYLOR—The funeral of Mrs. Mildred G. Taylor was held yesterday afternoon from her home, 331 Stevens

street. Services were conducted by Rev. A. P. Wedge and there was singing by a quartet consisting of Miss Leith, Miss Nettie M. Studley, Mr. Edwards and Mr. Howard. The bearers were Charles A. Wotton, Edward E. Grant, Edward D. Charlton and Frank J. Spooner. Burial was in the Edison cemetery. Undertaker Young had charge.

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